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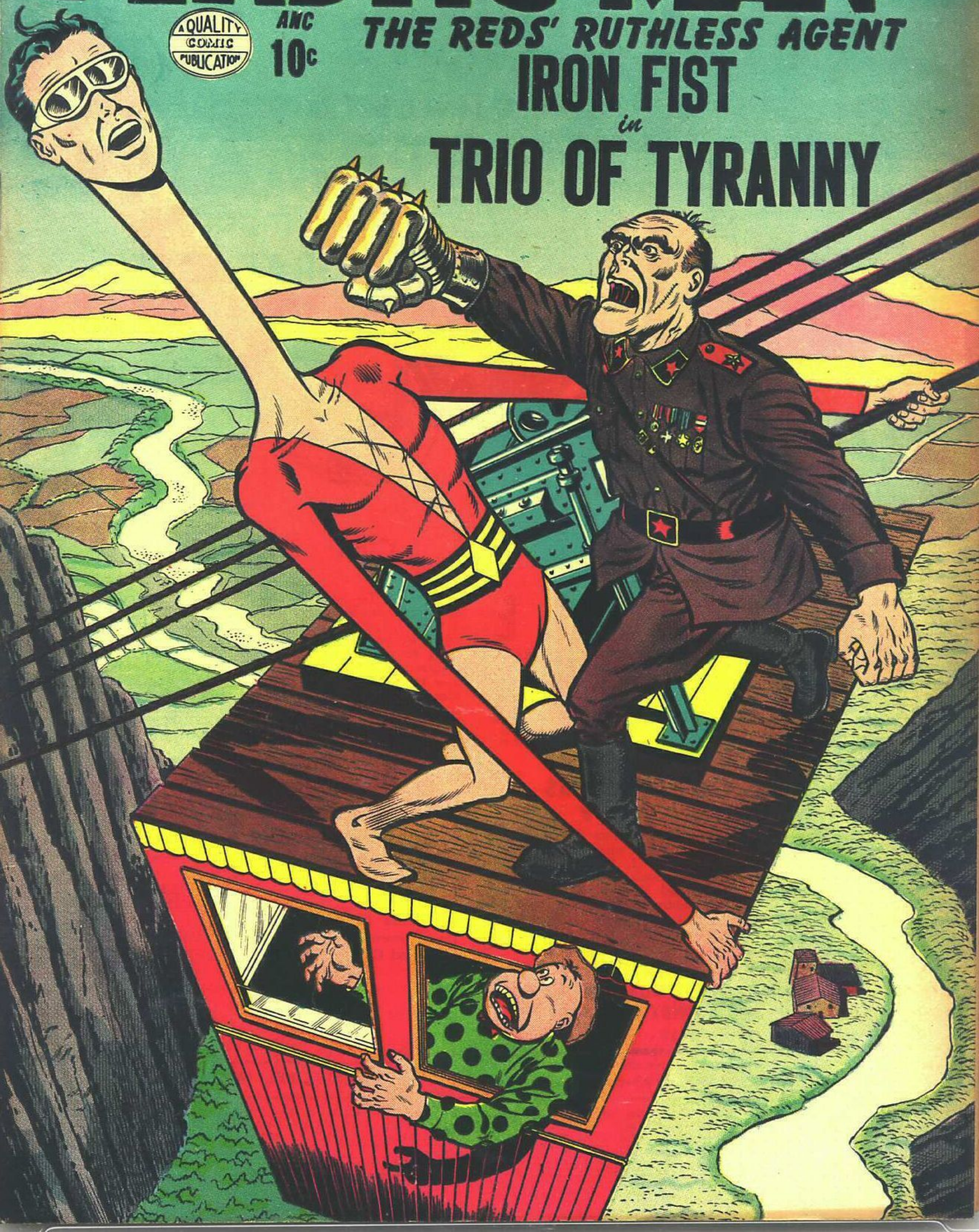
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P-PLAS!
YOU GOTTA
HELP ME...OR
I'M FINISHED!

I-I CAN'T
GET FREE,
WOOZY!

YOU ARE
DONE FOR THIS
TIME, PLASTIC
MAN! HA! YOU
FAILED TO RECKON
WITH THE POWER
OF IRON FIST!
HAVE NO MERCY,
MEN! DESTROY
THEM BOTH!

NEVER BEFORE HAD PLASTIC MAN OR WOOSY MET HEADLONG WITH SUCH A FIENDISH BAND! FOR EACH WAS A MASTER ASSASSIN, EACH TRAINED TO PERFECTION IN THE ART OF **SUDDEN DEATH!** AND IT SEEMED NO POWER ON EARTH COULD SAVE THE FAMED MIRACLE MAN OF BOUNCE AS HE FELL UNDER THE VICIOUS ATTACK OF THE INFAMOUS...

TRIO OF TYRANNY

PLASTIC MAN

ALONG A SHADOWY STREET WOZZY, PLASTIC MAN'S LITTLE PARTNER, WALKS PEACEFULLY ALONG UNAWARE OF THE DANGER AWAITING HIM!



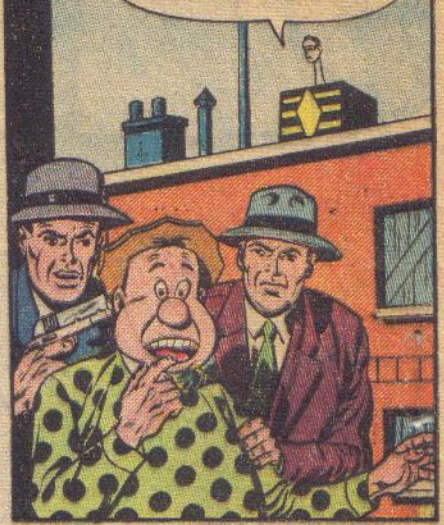
SUDDENLY, TERROR MOVES IN UPON WOZZY!

ONE MOVE AND YOU'RE A DEAD MAN!



THEN...

WELL, IT'S JUST ABOUT TIME TO MOVE INTO...



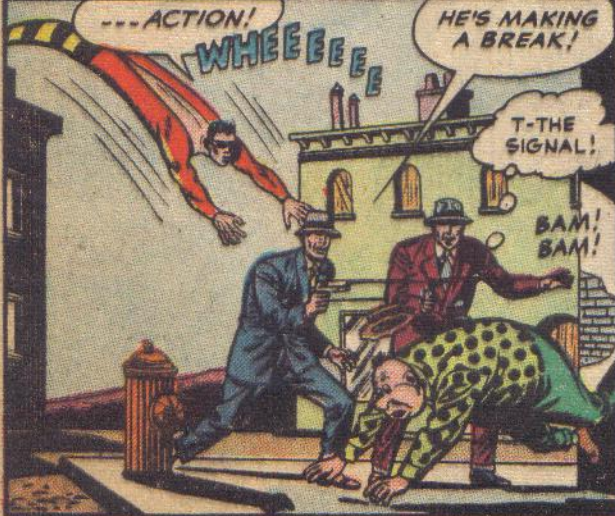
--- ACTION!

WHEEEEEEE

HE'S MAKING A BREAK!

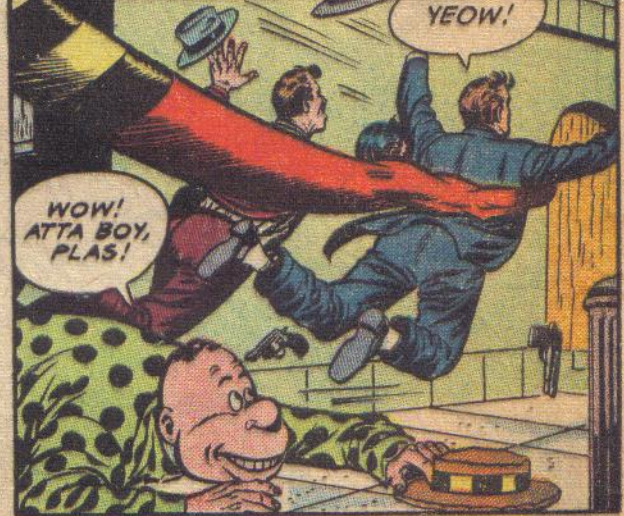
T-THE SIGNAL!

BAM! BAM!



YEOW!

WOW! ATTA BOY, PLAS!



SUDDENLY, PLASTIC MAN RELEASES THE TWO "HOODS" AND THE FACES OF ALL BREAK OUT IN SMILES!

PLASTIC MAN, I'M SURE GLAD YOU'RE ON OUR F.B.I. TEAM! WE DIDN'T HAVE A CHANCE OF ELUDING YOU!

NO SIRREE! THAT BIT OF PLAY WOULD HAVE MEANT TWO MORE CRIMINALS FOR FEDERAL PRISON!

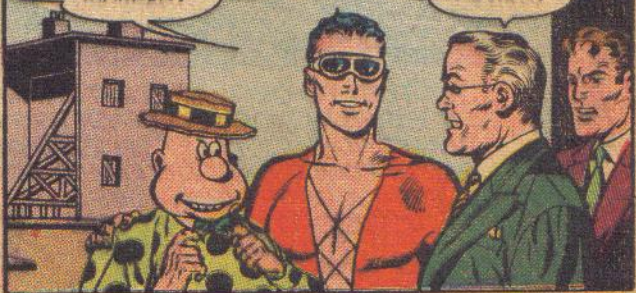
THANK YOU, GENTLEMEN! I HOPE I DIDN'T ROUGH YOU UP TOO MUCH DURING THE DEMONSTRATION!



THEN, THE AMAZING "MAN OF BOUNCE" EXPLAINS HIS MANEUVERS TO THE INSTRUCTOR AUDIENCE AT THE F.B.I. TRAINING SCHOOL!

YOU SEE, GENTLEMEN, BY UTTERING THAT LOW WHISTLE BEFORE ATTACKING THE MEN, WOZZY WAS ABLE TO DUCK AT THE PRECISE MOMENT OF SAFETY AND AVOID THEIR BULLETS! I'M SURE I COULD EXTRICATE ANY FEDERAL MAN FROM A LIKE DIFFICULTY IN THE SAME MANNER!

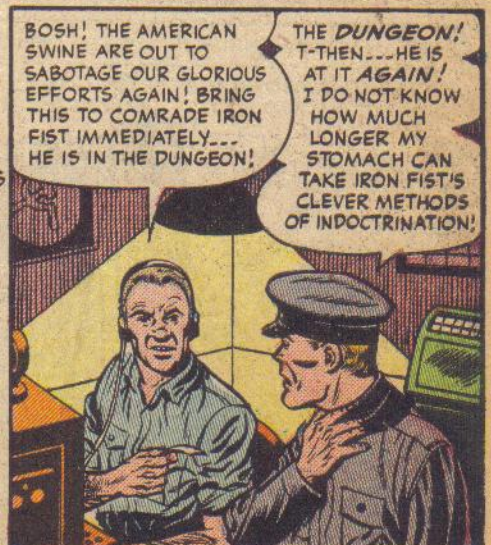
GREAT, PLASTIC MAN! WE'LL HAVE A RE-CORDING OF THAT WARNING CALL MADE! WHEN ANY AGENT IS IN TROUBLE HE'LL BE PREPARED FOR JUST SUCH A MANEUVER BY KNOWING YOU'RE IN ACTION!



PLASTIC MAN



WITHIN MINUTES AFTER WORD OF THE AMBASSADOR'S TOUR IS ANNOUNCED PUBLICLY THE NKVD CODE ROOM IN THE KREMLIN BUZZES WITH THE SHOCKING REPORT!



PLASTIC MAN

WELL, DON'T STAND THERE WHIMPERING WEAKLING! GIVE IT TO ME!

Y-YIPES! YES SIR...



AS THE INCREDIBLE NKVD CHIEF SCANS THE MESSAGE HIS MANIACAL FACE FLUSHES IN A FIT OF RAGE!

SO! THE IDIOTIC AMERICANS ARE SENDING A TONGUE-WAGGING AMBASSADOR AROUND THE WORLD TO FIGHT OUR CAUSE! WE WILL SEE ABOUT THIS... HIS FIRST STOP IS TOKYO, EH?



THIS CAPITALISTIC POLITICIAN FAULKNER WILL NOT UTTER A WORD IN TOKYO!



SHORTLY, IN THE FIENDISH IRON FIST'S OFFICE...

GET ME AGENT DX IN TOKYO IMMEDIATELY, DO YOU HEAR!

A-A-S YOU WISH, COMRADE IRON FIST!



SOON, AMBASSADOR FAULKNER'S DEATH IS BEING PLOTTED OVER MOSCOW'S DIRECT LINE TO TOKYO!

DO NOT WORRY, IRON FIST! I MYSELF WILL TAKE THE LIFE OF THIS INSOLENT AMERICAN AMBASSADOR!

YOU HAD BETTER, CRUSHER... IF YOU WANT TO REMAIN ON OUR PAY ROLL! I WANT MY ORDERS CARRIED OUT TO THE LETTER! THAT IS ALL!



AH... KITSU, WE HAVE WORK AT HAND! PREPARE THE GYMNASIUM! I MUST BRUSH UP ON MY JIJITSU BEFORE THE KILL! HO, HO, HO...

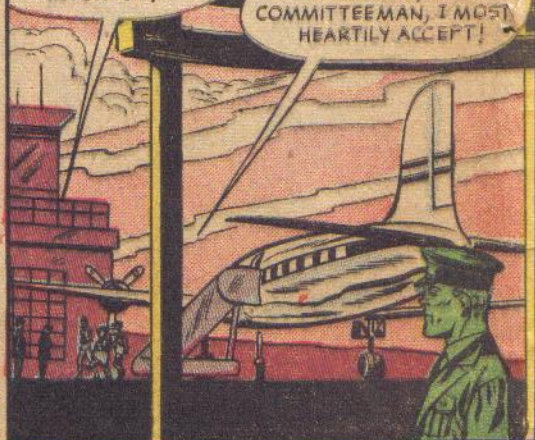
AS YOU WISH, MASTER!



THUS IT IS THAT ONE OF SOVIET RUSSIA'S MOST INFAMOUS AGENTS SEEKS TO MURDER AMBASSADOR FAULKNER! CAN PLAS AND WOZZY SAVE HIM IN THEIR ROLLS AS BODYGUARDS? LATER, AT TOKYO AIRPORT...

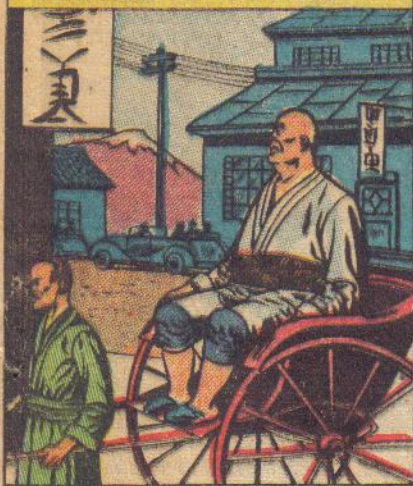
IT IS HIGH PRIVILEGE TO HAVE MOST HONORABLE AMBASSADOR VISIT US! WOULD LIKE TO TAKE YOU ON TOUR OF OUR GREAT CITY TO SHOW MANY POINTS OF INTEREST!

THANK YOU, MR. COMMITTEEMAN, I MOST HEARTILY ACCEPT!



PLASTIC MAN

AS THE COLORFUL DIPLOMATIC CARAVAN SLOWLY WEAVES ITS WAY THROUGH THE TOKYO STREETS AN OMINOUS FIGURE FOLLOWS IN ITS WAKE!



FINALLY, AT FAMOUS MT. FUJIYAMA!

THIS IS EXTREMELY HIGH MOUNTAIN PEAK RISING 12,395 FEET ABOVE SEA LEVEL!

GOSH, PLAS, THAT'S TALL IN ANY LEAGUE! I SURE HOPE THE CAR SUSPENSION WIRE IS IN GOOD SHAPE!

DON'T WORRY, WOZZY! I'M SURE THE CABLE IS INSPECTED REGULARLY!



GEE, I MUST BE GETTIN' AIR SICK, PLAS! I COULD SWEAR THAT CHARACTER IS PUTTING AN AXE TO THE CABLE LINE!

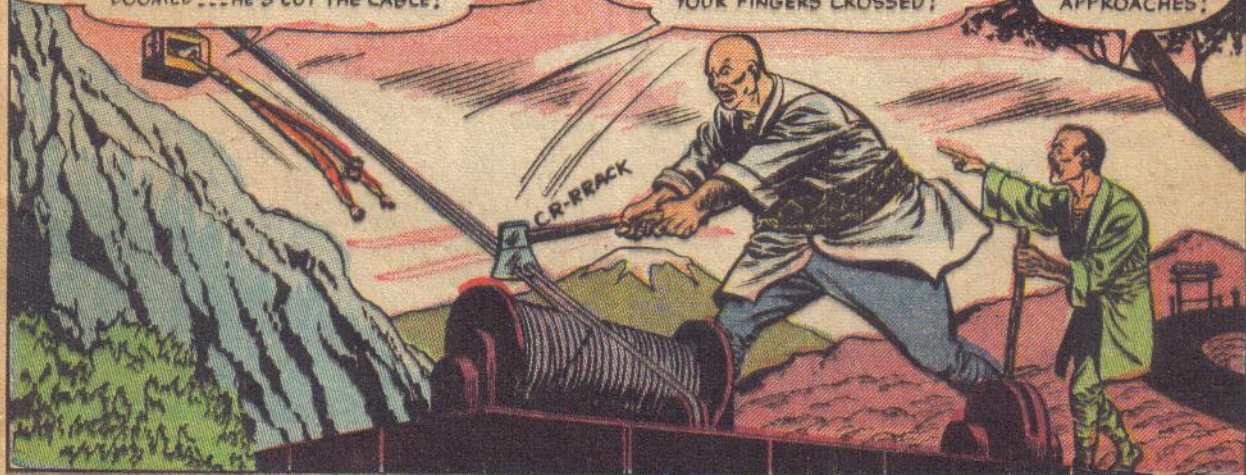
WOZZY! THIS MAY SHOCK YOU... BUT I GET THE SAME IMPRESSION!



Y-YOU DO! THEN IT'S AN ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT AGAINST AMBASSADOR FAULKNER! Y-YIPES! WE'RE DOOMED... HE'S CUT THE CABLE!

THERE'S ONE CHANCE IN A MILLION OF SAVING THE CABLE CAR, WOZZY! KEEP YOUR FINGERS CROSSED!

M-MASTER! ANGRY DEMON APPROACHES!



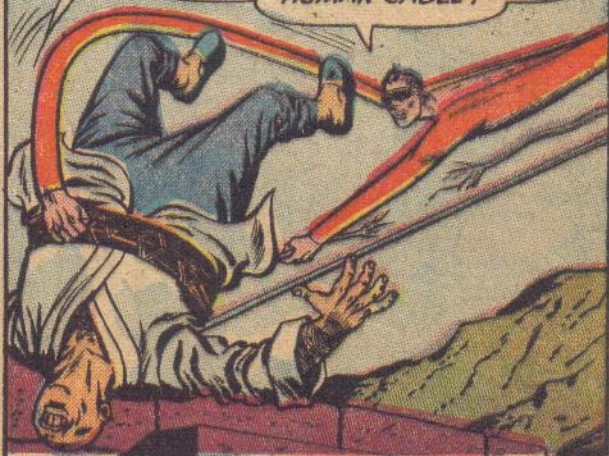
PLASTIC MAN! AH... I HAVE LONG AWAITED THIS OPPORTUNITY TO INCREASE THE FAME OF THE CRUSHER!

I THOUGHT YOUR MUG LOOKED FAMILIAR! SO YOU'RE THE INFAMOUS RED AGENT THEY CALL THE CRUSHER...



U-UUGH!

...I'LL BE RIGHT BACK TO HAVE A SHOW-DOWN WITH YOU, FATSTUFF! RIGHT NOW I'VE GOT TO STRING OUT AND BECOME A HUMAN CABLE!

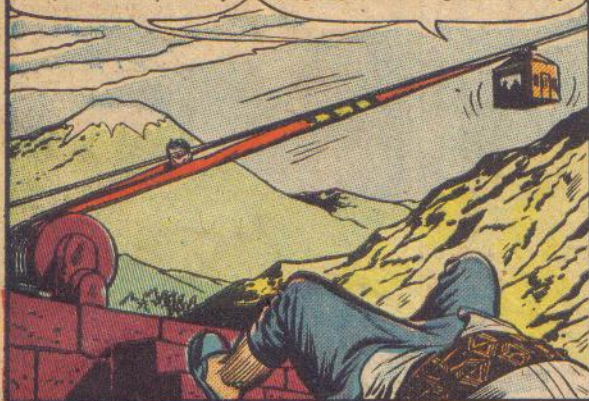


PLASTIC MAN

SNARING THE BROKEN CABLE LINES, THE MAN OF RUBBER KNOTS HIS AGILE FORM ABOUT BOTH ENDS...AND JUST IN THE NICK OF TIME!

YAHOO! PLAS SAVED US! ATTA BOY, PLAS!

A-AMAZING! IF I DIDN'T SEE IT WITH MY OWN EYES I WOULDN'T HAVE BELIEVED IT!



THEN, AS PLAS REELS THE CABLE CAR BACK TO THE SAFETY OF THE PLATFORM...

I UNDERSTAND YOU USED TO BE A CHAMPION WRESTLER, CRUSHER! LET'S HAVE A LITTLE CONTEST... BEST OUT OF THREE FALLS!

I WILL TWIST THAT ELASTIC HUNK OF YOURS INTO LITTLE PIECES, FOOL! I HAVE NEVER LOST A BOUT!



Y-YARGH... W-WHAT STRANGE HOLD HAVE YOU ON ME?

JUST A LITTLE SOMETHING I DREAMED UP! BUT YOU HAVEN'T SEEN ANYTHING YET!



SUDDENLY, WOOLLY'S SCREAM DISRUPTS THE TWO CONTESTANTS...

P-PLAS!

THE CRUSHER'S WEAZEL HENCHMAN... HE'S TOSSIN' A KNIFE AT THE AMBASSADOR!

OH, OH... DUTY BEFORE PLEASURE, CRUSHER! I'LL HAVE TO CALL TIME!



RESHAPING HIMSELF ONCE AGAIN, PLASTIC MAN CANNON BALLS ACROSS THE CABLE PLATFORM TO...

THIS SHOULD PUT THE LITTLE KILLER OUT OF ACTION FOR AWHILE!

LOOK! THAT BULBOUS HUNK OF BLUBBER HAS MADE HIS ESCAPE! OH, WELL, AT LEAST WE'RE ALL ALIVE!



THAT EVENING, MOSCOW'S DIRECT LINE TO TOKYO CARRIES THE REPORT OF THE FAILURE!

B-BUT THE PLASTIC MAN IS THIS FAULKNER'S BODYGUARD! IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO DEFEAT HIM!

IMPOSSIBLE! NOTHING IS IMPOSSIBLE FOR THE CAUSE OF COMMUNISM! YOU HAVE FAILED, CRUSHER! CONSIDER YOURSELF DOOMED!



OPERATOR! GET ME CAIRO AT ONCE! I MUST ALERT AGENT SABER! THE FOOL AMERICANS WILL ARRIVE IN HIS DISTRICT NEXT!



PLASTIC MAN

THE ANGERED VOICE OF IRON FIST ONCE AGAIN BARKS ACROSS THE LONG DISTANCE WIRES... TO KEY AGENT SABER IN CAIRO, EGYPT!

YOU UNDERSTAND, SABER, YOU **MUST NOT FAIL!** TOMORROW AT THE PATIO EGYPTIO THIS FOOL AMBASSADOR WILL MAKE HIS SPEECH AGAINST OUR GREAT CAUSE!

FEAR NOT, MIGHTY IRON FIST! HE AND HIS BODY-GUARDS SHALL FALL UNDER THE SABER'S BLADES LIKE REEDS IN THE NILE RIVER!

S-SABER, YOU SAY **PLASTIC MAN** IS GUARDING THE AMBASSADOR? WE MUST BE CAREFUL! H-HE IS A DANGEROUS MAN!

DOG OF A THOUSAND COWARDS! YOU DARE CAUTION **SABER** AGAINST THIS AMERICAN BOUNCING BALL!

HO! WHO IS MORE DANGEROUS THAN THE MIGHTY **SABER** HIMSELF, EH, SPINX!

MERCY, MERCY, SABER! I-I NO LONGER FEAR THIS **PLASTIC MAN**! H-HE WILL BE LIKE THE GENTLE DESERT WINDS AGAINST YOU, GREAT ONE!

THUSLY, NEXT DAY AT THE PATIO EGYPTIO AS AMBASSADOR FAULKNER SPEAKS...

SO IT IS THAT I SPEAK TODAY FOR THE FREE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD...

P-PLAS, LOOK!

GREAT SCOTT!

BACK, AMBASSADOR, BACK! ASSASSINS!

WHA---?

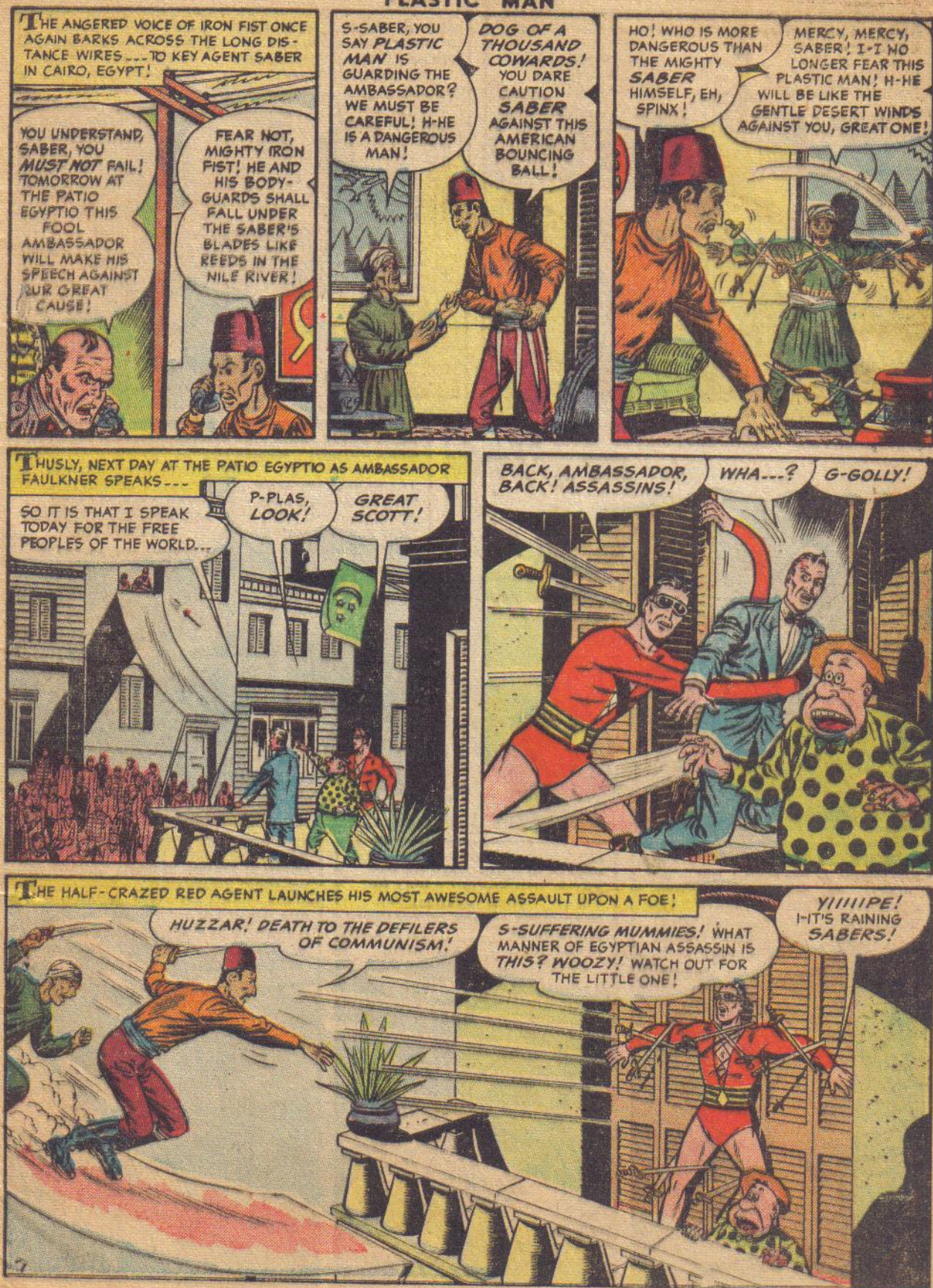
G-GOLLY!

THE HALF-CRAZED RED AGENT LAUNCHES HIS MOST AWESOME ASSAULT UPON A FOE!

HUZZAR! DEATH TO THE DEFILERS OF COMMUNISM!

S-SUFFERING MUMMIES! WHAT MANNER OF EGYPTIAN ASSASSIN IS THIS? WOOLY! WATCH OUT FOR THE LITTLE ONE!

YIIIIPE! I-IT'S RAINING SABERS!



PLASTIC MAN

HELPLESSLY, PLASTIC MAN IS "SABER-LASHED" TO THE WALL!

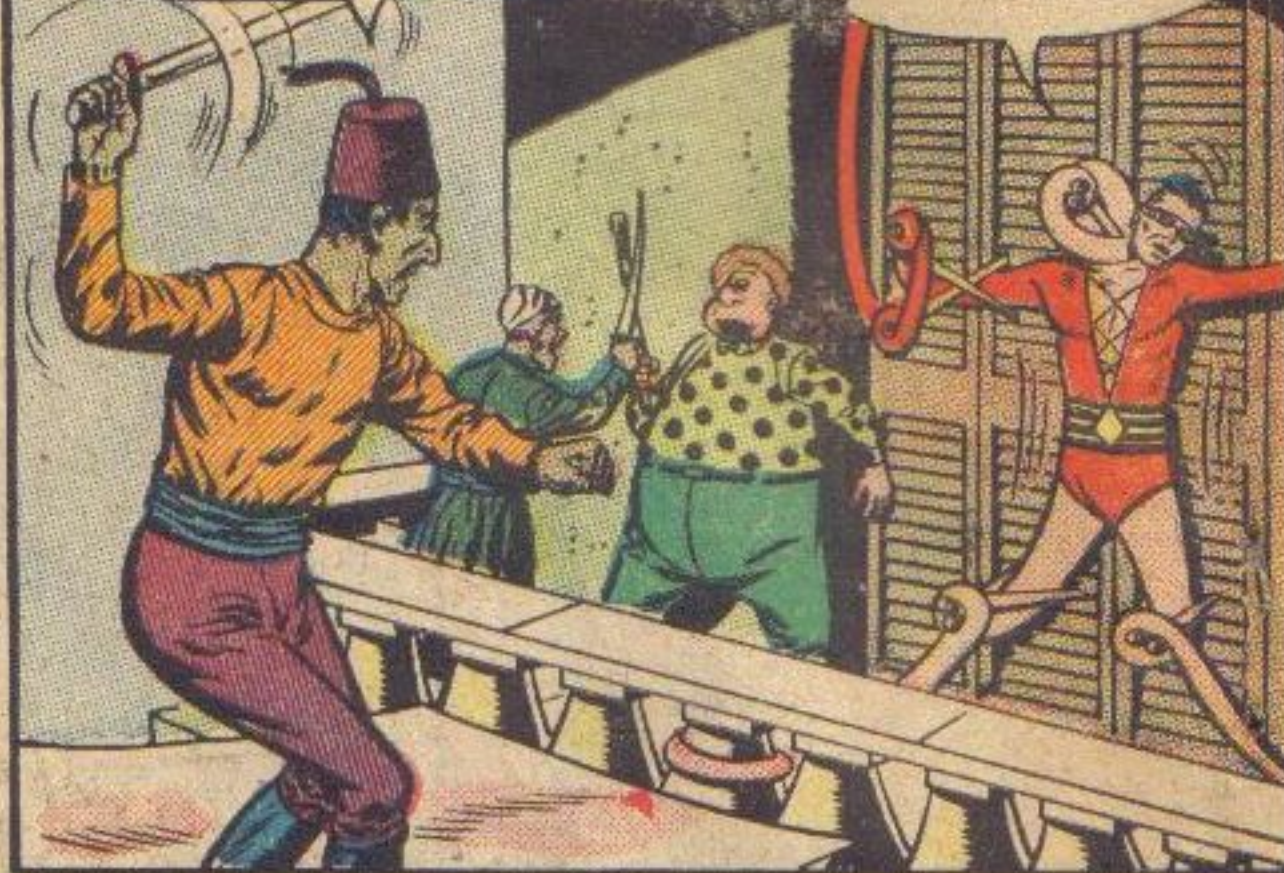
P-PLAS!
W-WHAT'LL I DO?
Y-YOU'RE TRAPPED!

FEND HIM OFF, WOZZY! FEND
HIM OFF! WE'VE ONLY GOT
ONE CHANCE!



HO! THE TRICKY RUBBER TIGER
IS TAMED! AND NOW, LIKE THE
DOOM OF ALLAH SHALL COME
THE DEATH BLOW!

GOT TO GET SOME
GRIP ON THESE THINGS...
MAKE MYSELF A SLING
SHOT AND ZIP THESE
THINGS...

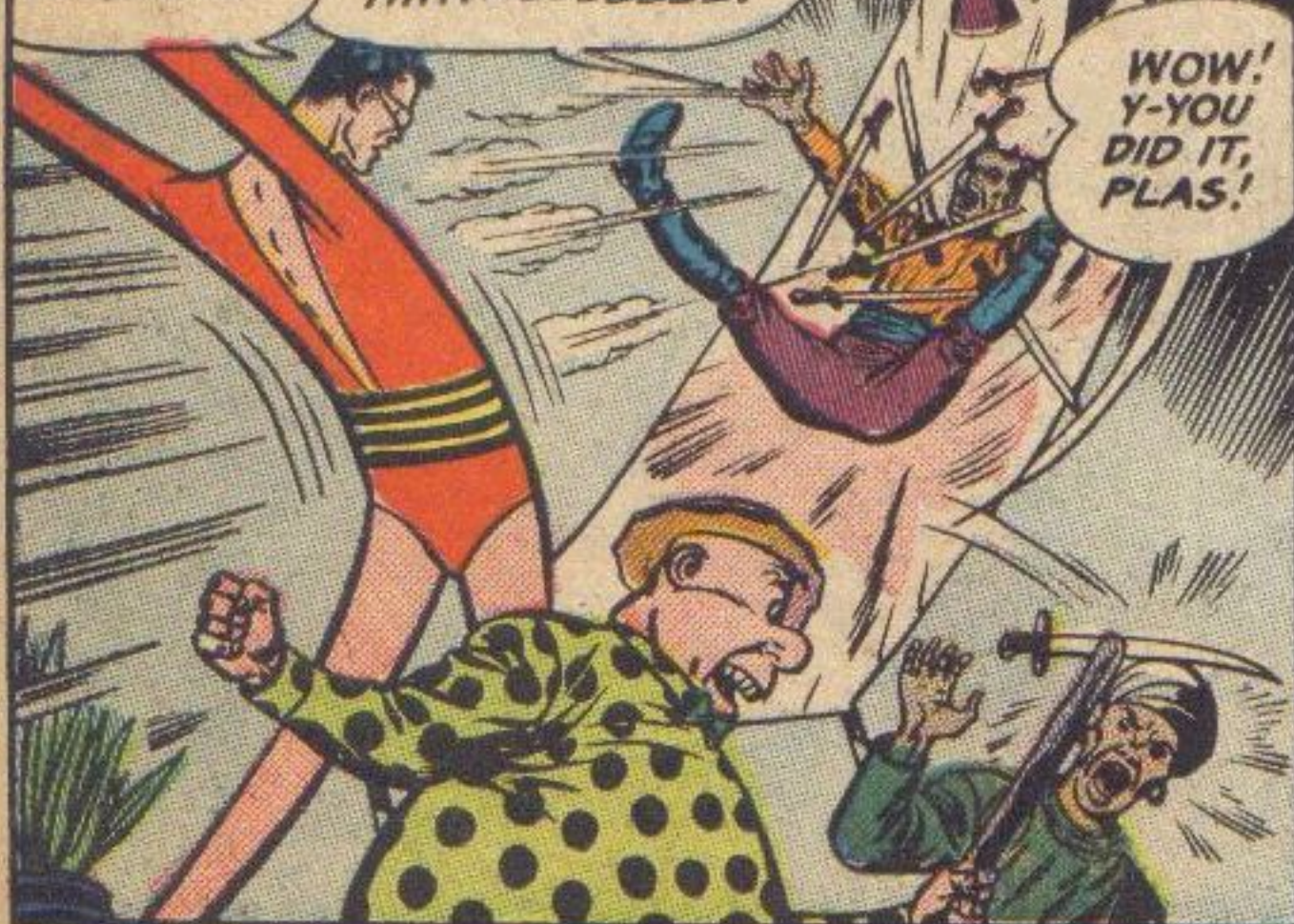


SUDDENLY, PLAS' PLASTIC BODY UNCOILS AND...

...BACK!

YIIIIIIIEEEEEEE!

WOW!
Y-YOU
DID IT,
PLAS!



AND LATER, IRON FIST SPEAKS AGAIN ON THE OVER-SEAS PHONE!

I-I BARELY ESCAPED
WITH MY SACRED LIFE,
COMRADE IRON FIST!
THAT PLASTIC MAN IS
MADE OF MIRACLES!

SWINE! DOG! YOU ARE
RELIEVED OF DUTY! I
SHOULD FLY TO CAIRO
AND DESTROY YOU MYSELF
IF I HAD TIME!



S-SABER
HAS FAILED
ALSO,
COMRADE
IRON FIST!

SILENCE, YOU SPUTTER-
ING FOOL! THE
SCHEDULE... BRING
ME THE TIMETABLE OF
THIS DEMOCRATIC
DOG'S TOUR! I SHALL
DOWN HIM MYSELF!



SO! AMBASSADOR FAULKNER NEXT
SPEAKS IN ROME, ITALY THE DAY
AFTER TOMORROW! I WILL BE
THERE... WITH THREE OF THE
STRONGEST AGENTS OF THE NKVD!
SUMMON MY
STAFF! AT
ONCE!

A-AT ONCE,
COMRADE IRON
FIST!



TWO DAYS LATER, THE MONSTER OF THE
KREMLIN STANDS IN ROMA SQUARE WITH
HIS NKVD HENCHMEN!

SO THAT IS
THE MIGHTY PLASTIC MAN! AH, THE
SITUATION IS PERFECT FOR OUR PLANS!
NOW... I WILL CHOOSE THE KEY MAN!
VITSHKI, COME FORWARD!



PLASTIC MAN

YOU WILL BE SACRIFICED FOR THE CAUSE, VITSHKI! FOLLOW THROUGH WITH OUR PLANS!

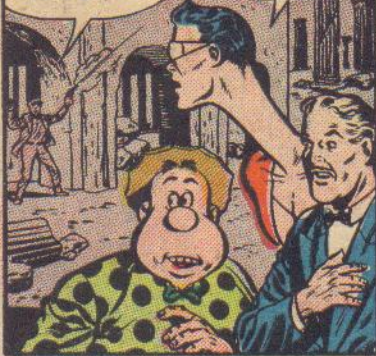
I OBEY, COMRADE IRON FIST!



A MOMENT LATER, PLASTIC MAN SPRINGS TO ATTENTION AS...

DEATH TO THE AMERICAN AMBASSADOR! DOWN WITH ALL DEMOCRATIC DOGS!

THUNDER-ATION... ANOTHER RED FANATIC! LET'S GO, WOZZY!



YOU HALF BAKED CHARACTERS ARE BEGINNING TO IRK ME NO END! A SESSION IN ROMA PRISON SHOULD COOL YOU OFF!

YOU ARE DOOMED, PLASTIC MAN!



SUDDENLY, THE GREAT IRON FIST OF THE BRUTAL RED LEADER LASHES OUT AND---

HO! LIKE THE FOOLISH RABBIT YOU FELL FOR MY TRAP, RUBBER BOY!

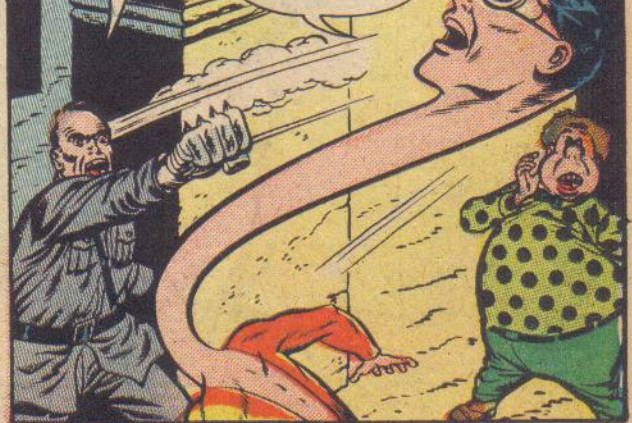
P-PLAS!

OOOMMPH!



NONE HAVE EVER ELUDED MY STEEL FIST, PLASTIC MAN! YOU ARE DOOMED!

T-THAT MAILED FIST... IT'S TOO MUCH FOR ME... GOT TO OVERCOME IT SOME WAY!

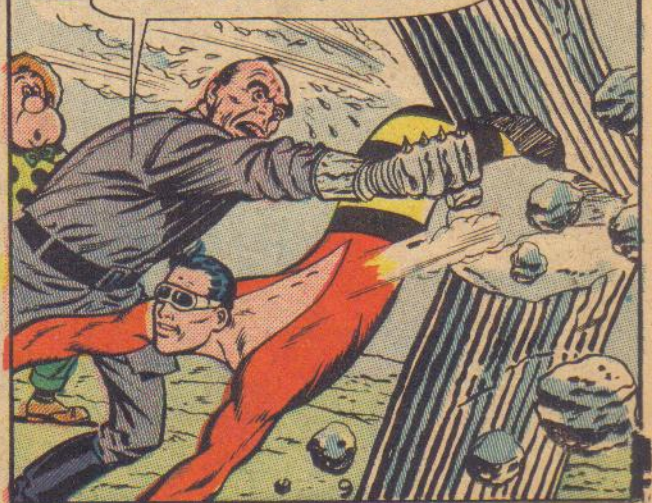


PLAS...PLAS...YOU CAN'T STAND AGAINST THAT IRON FIST!

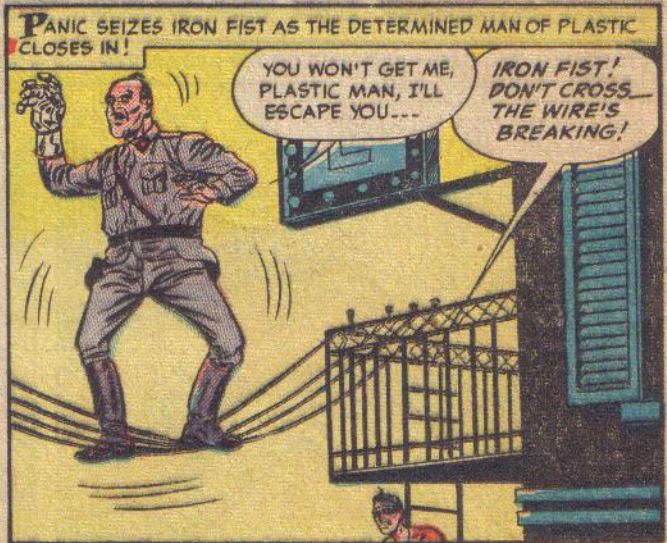
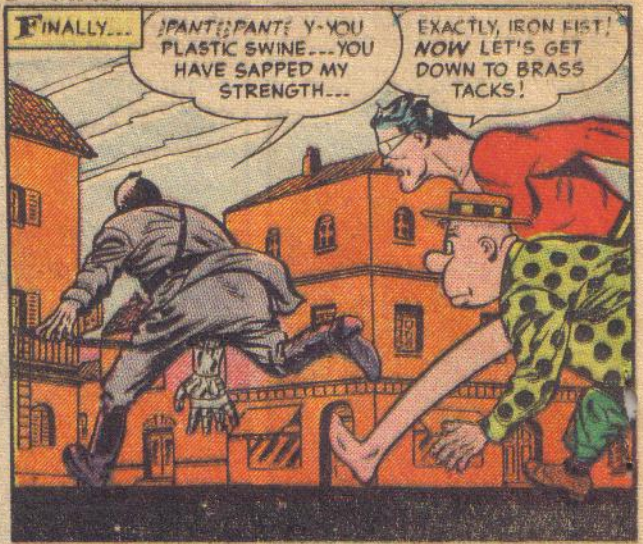
I CAN IF IT DOESN'T HIT ME, WOZZY---



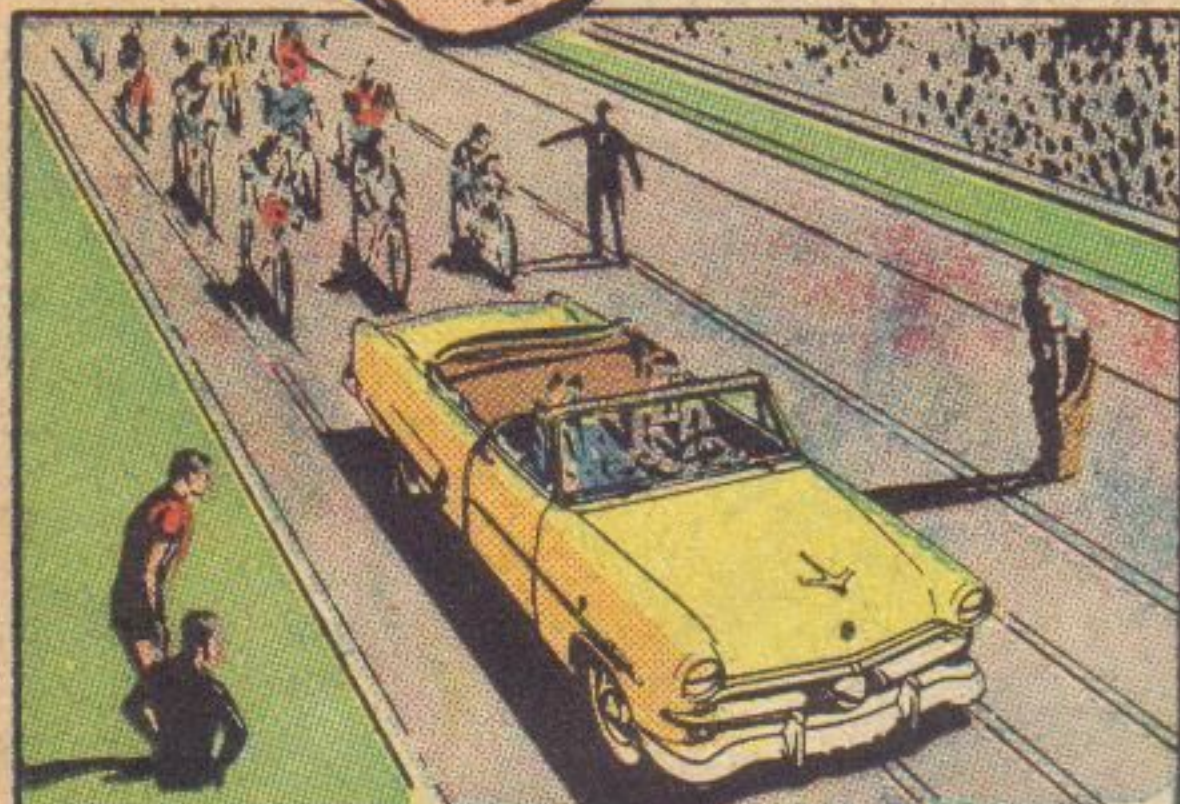
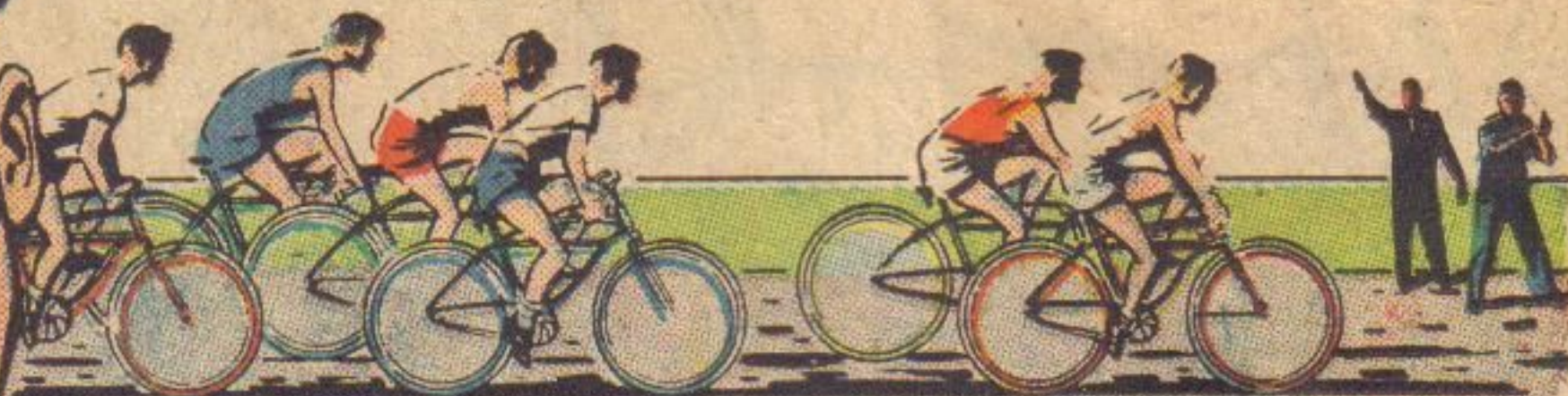
NO MAN CAN WIELD A STEEL FIST OF THAT WEIGHT FOR LONG... I HOPE---



PLASTIC MAN



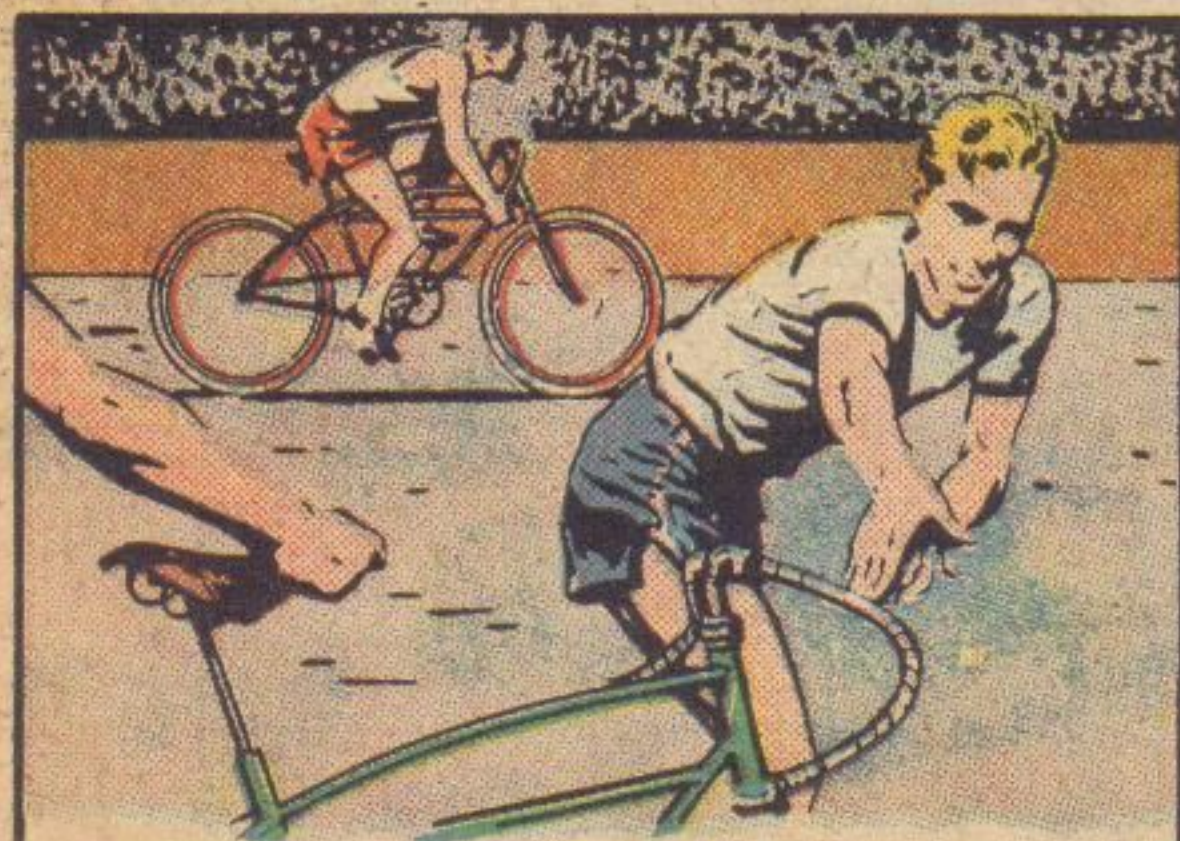
AMF ROADMASTER sets a hot pace in the "Little 500" Bike Race!



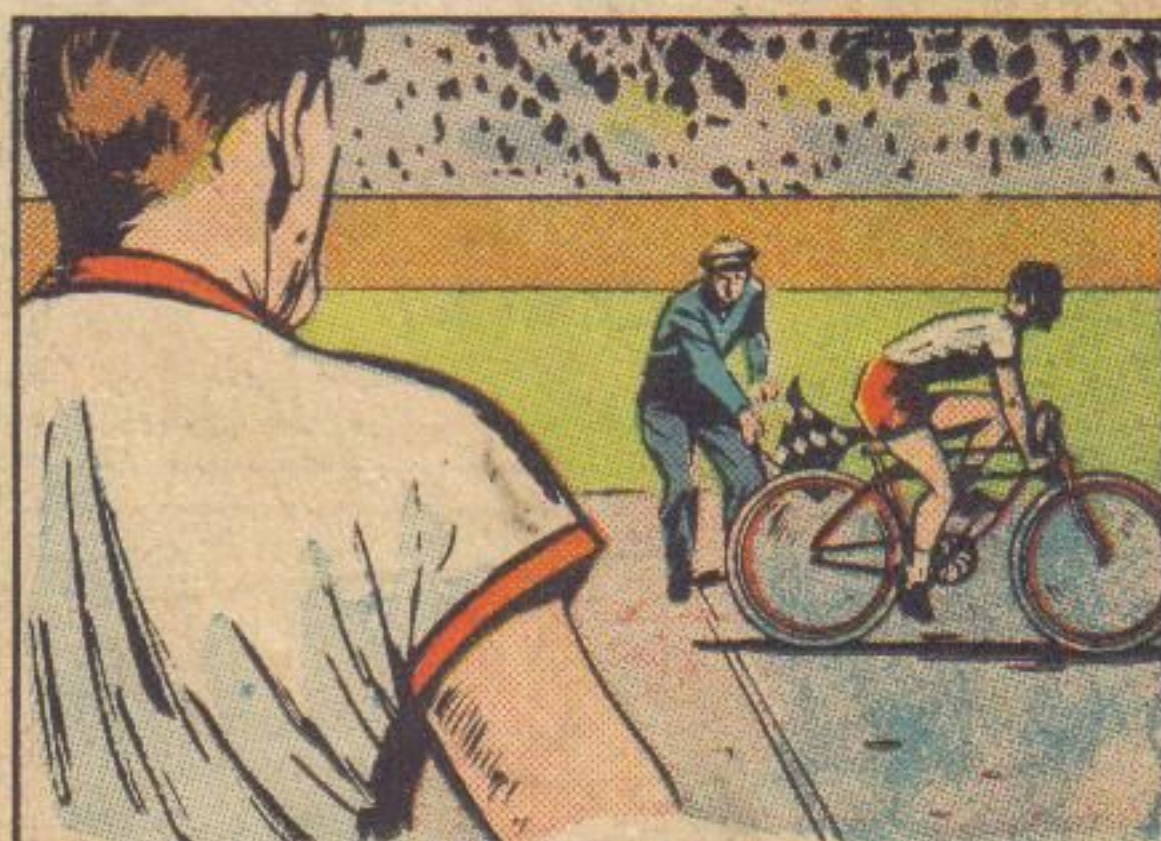
The annual "Little 500" Bicycle Race gets under way at Indiana University Memorial Stadium. Wilbur Shaw, racing car immortal, leads 33 AMF Roadmasters around the Stadium track and across the race starting line in official Ford pace car.



Off to a fast start, University of Indiana bike racers round a turn in the gruelling 50-mile race—which adds up to 200-laps. Thirty-three 4-man teams are riding special balloon-tire AMF Roadmasters with racing handle bars and saddles, and no fenders.



Changing riders provides action-packed seconds of acrobatics! The incoming rider drops off saddle—keeping a grip on it—then pushes bike ahead to his relief rider, who grasps handle bar and makes a flying leap onto the saddle!



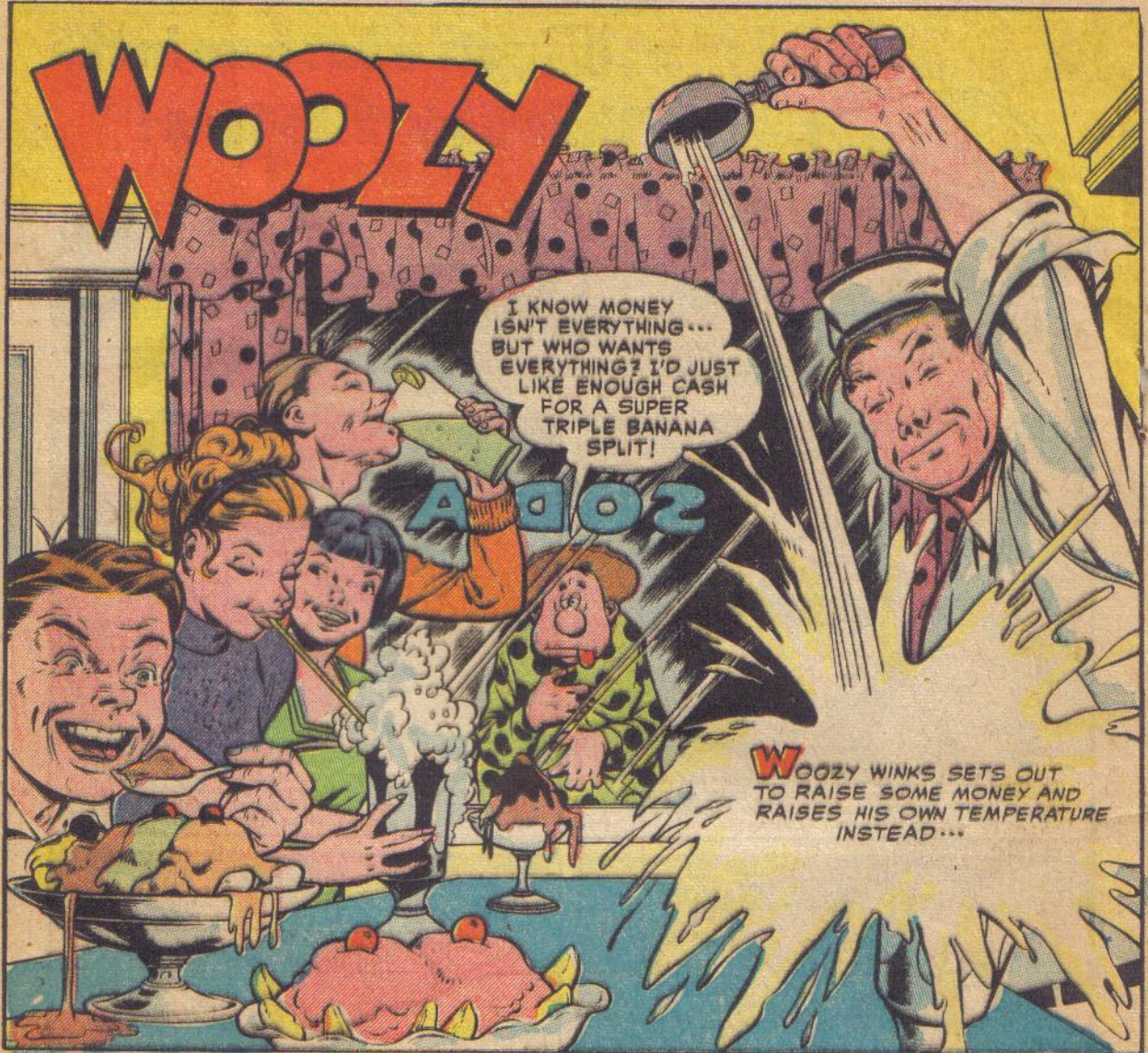
The winner!—flagged by Indianapolis Motor Speedway Starter, Seth Klein. Each member of the winning team averaged better than 20 miles per hour! Over 12,000 spectators cheered the "Greatest Collegiate Bicycle Race In The World!"

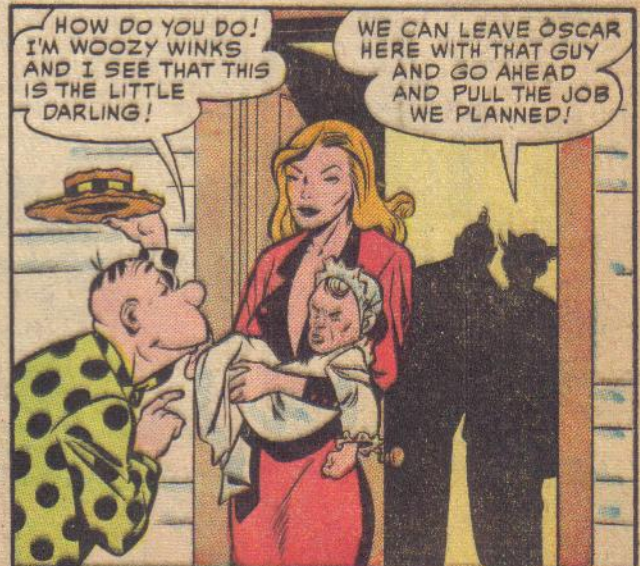
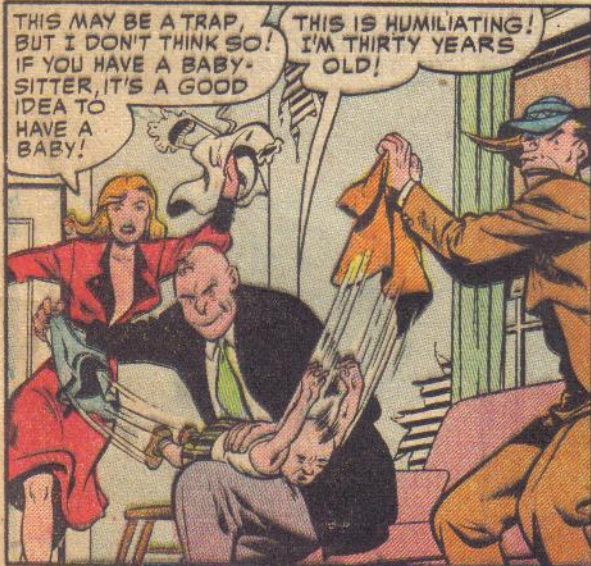
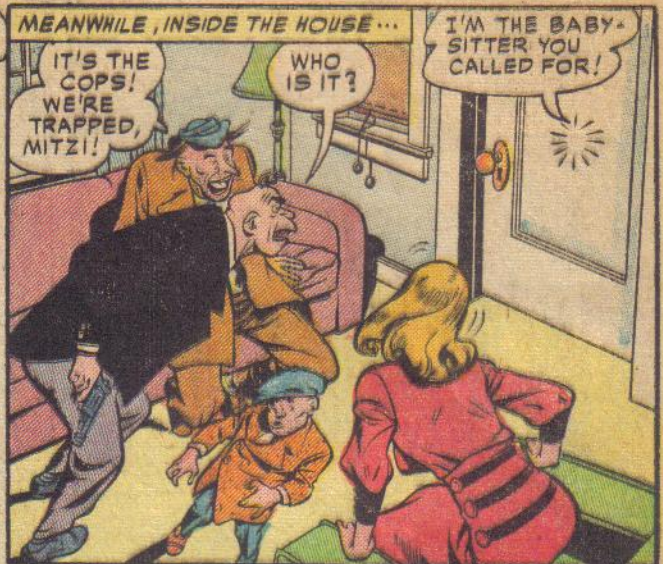
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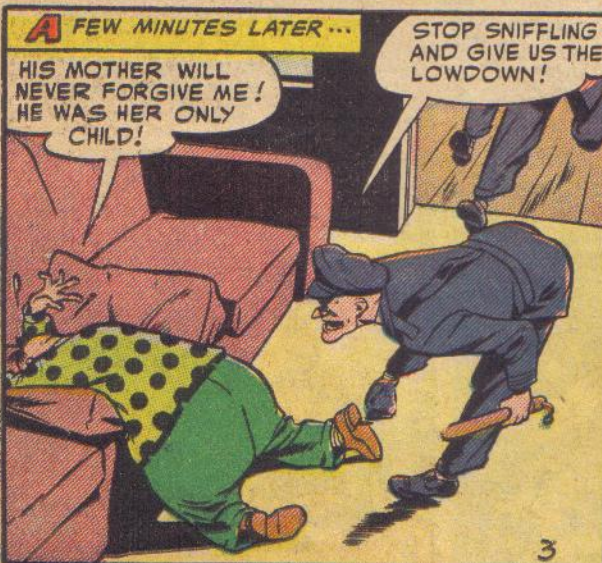
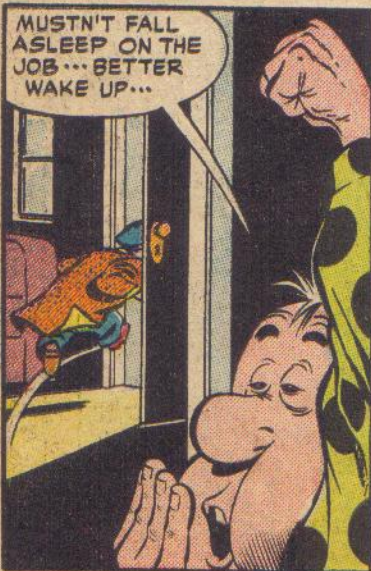
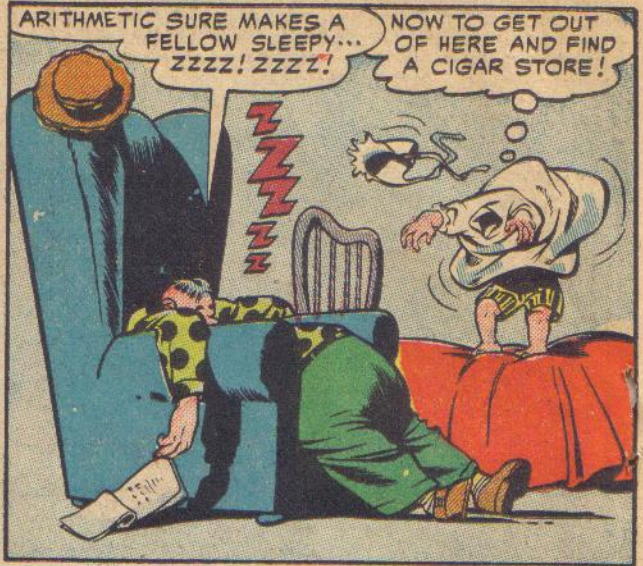
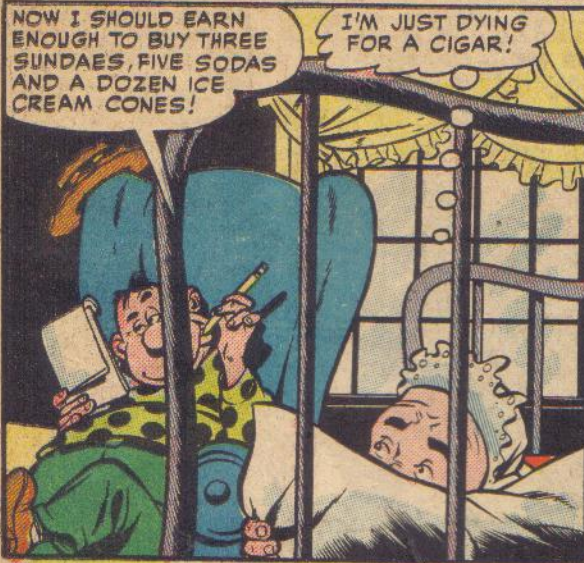
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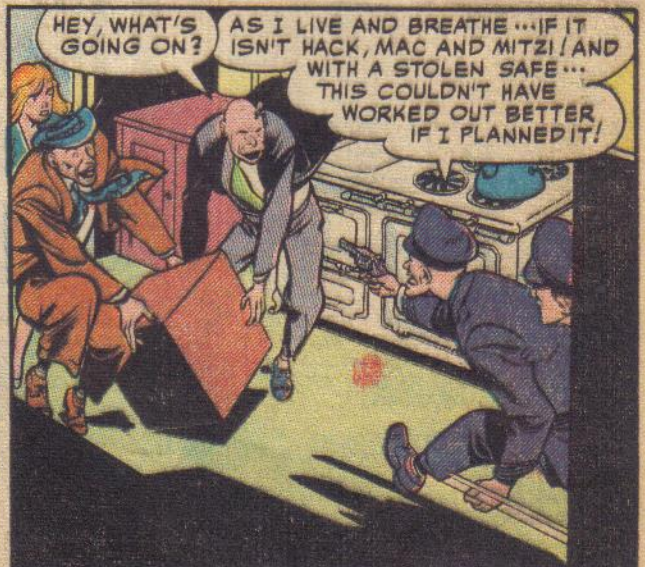
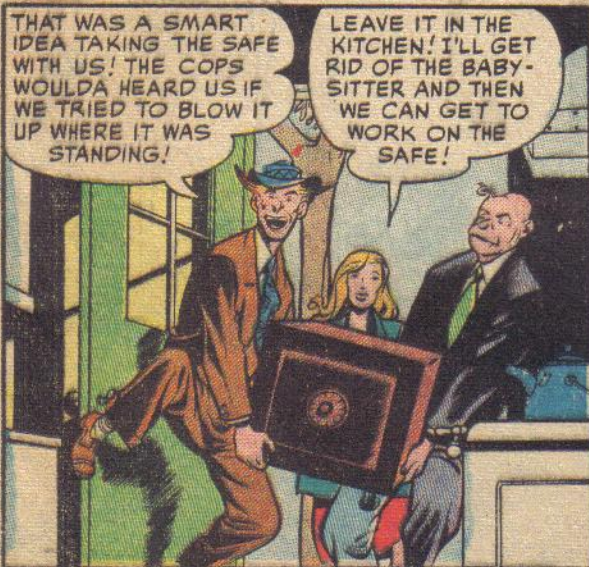
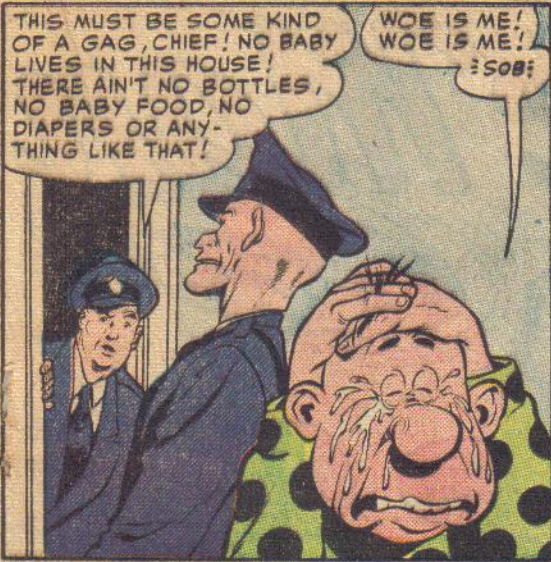




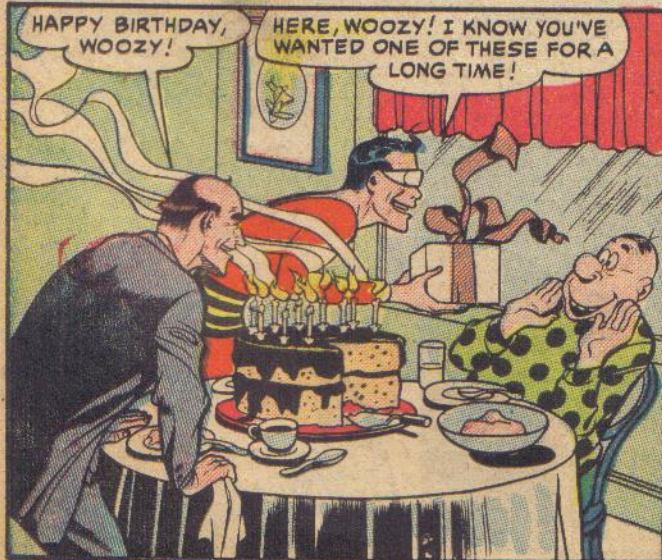
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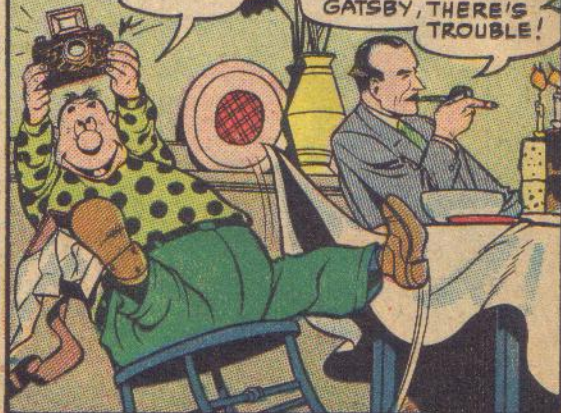


WHEN GAT GATSBY, MASTER CRIMINAL, TRIES TO PICK UP SOME EASY MONEY...IN A BANK, HE'S NOT BANKING ON PLASTIC MAN'S INTEREST IN HIS AFFAIRS!

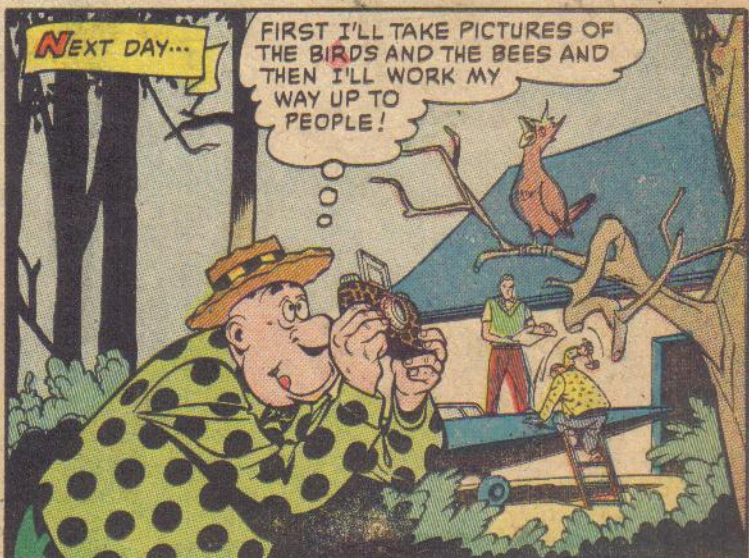
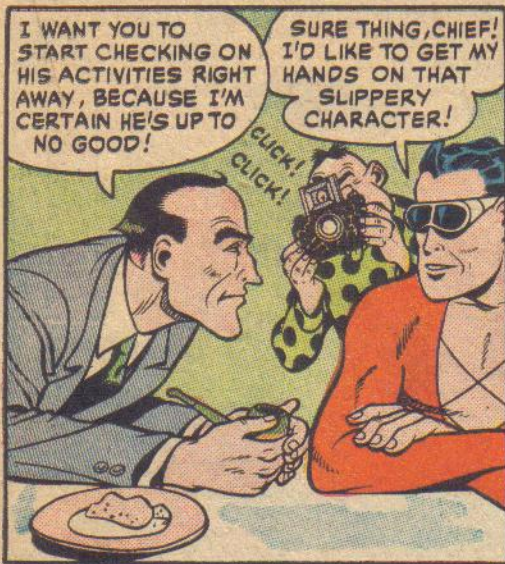


GEE, A CAMERA! THANKS!
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USE IT RIGHT AWAY! IT'LL
BE A BIG HELP IN MY
FIGHT AGAINST
CRIME!

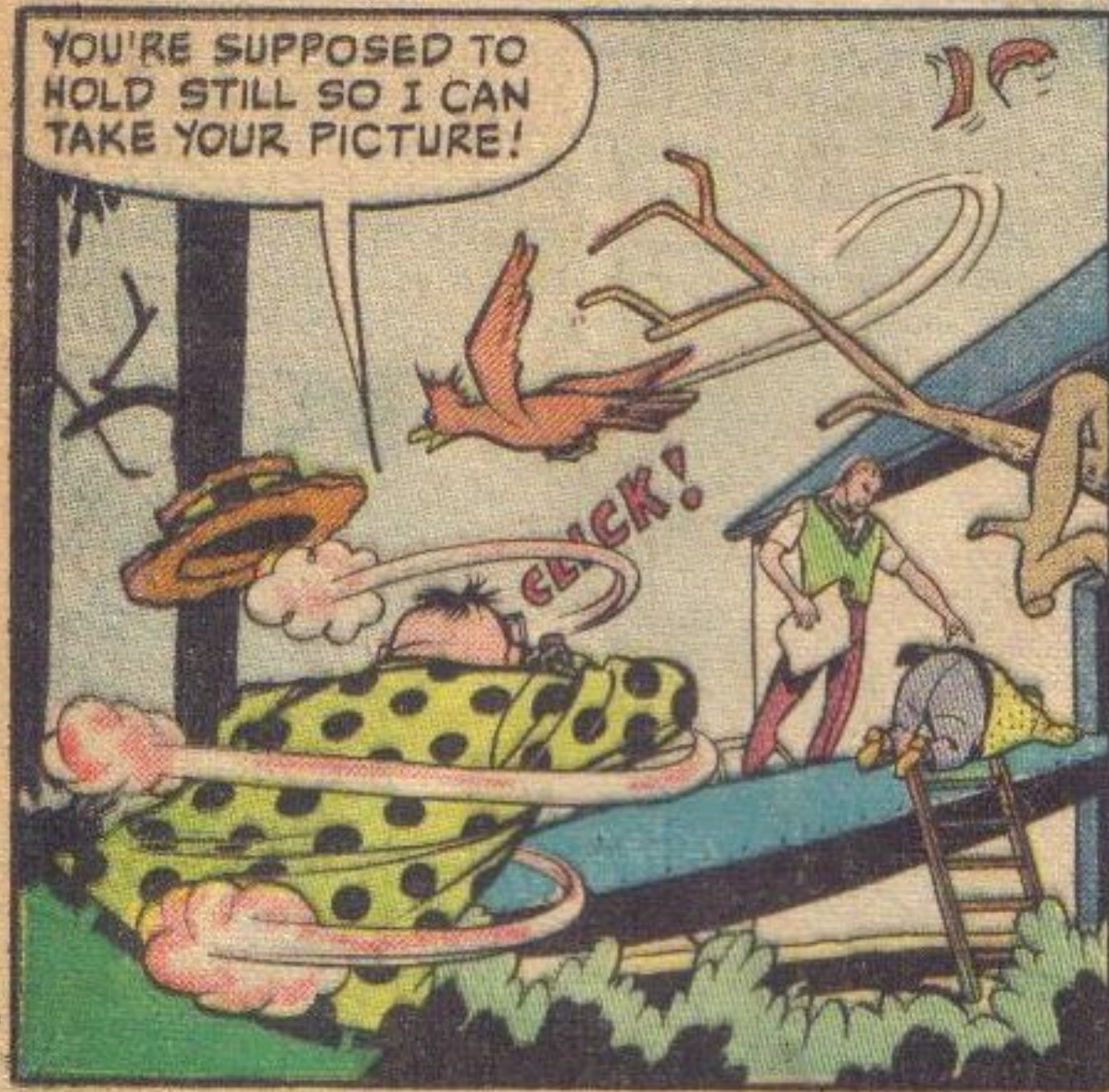
INCIDENTALLY,
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GAT GATSBY BLEW
INTO TOWN TODAY
AND WHERE THERE'S
GATSBY, THERE'S
TROUBLE!



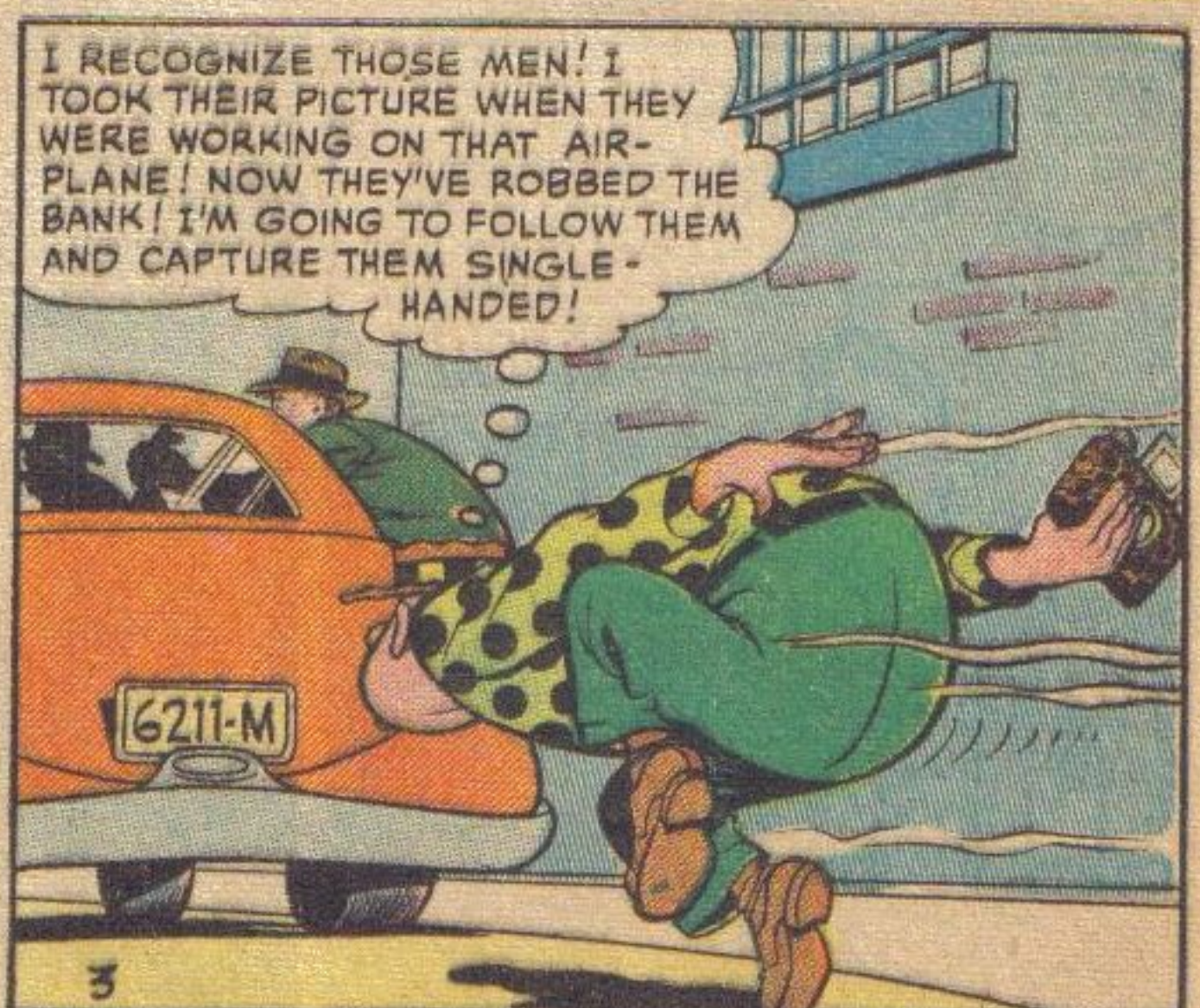
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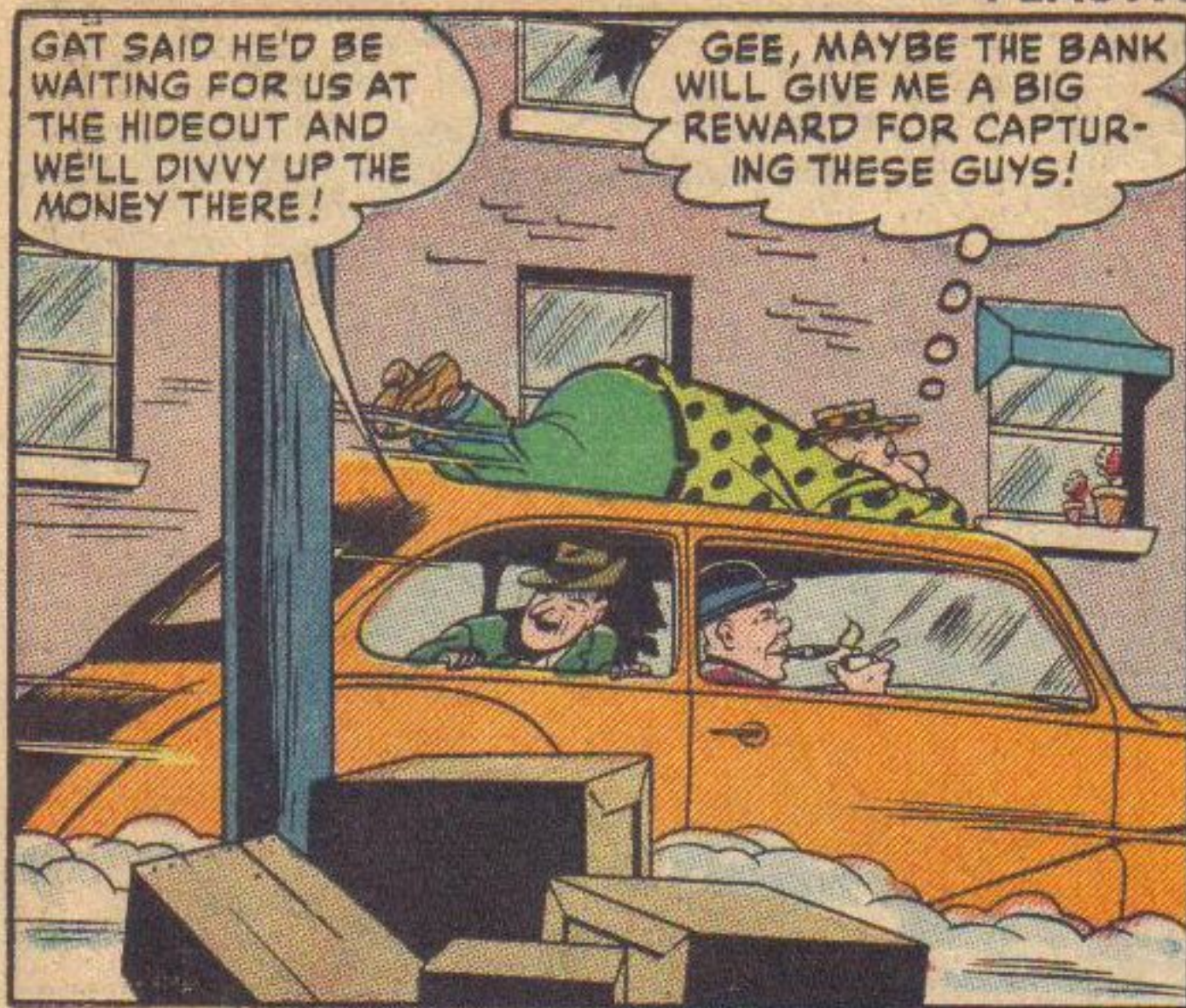
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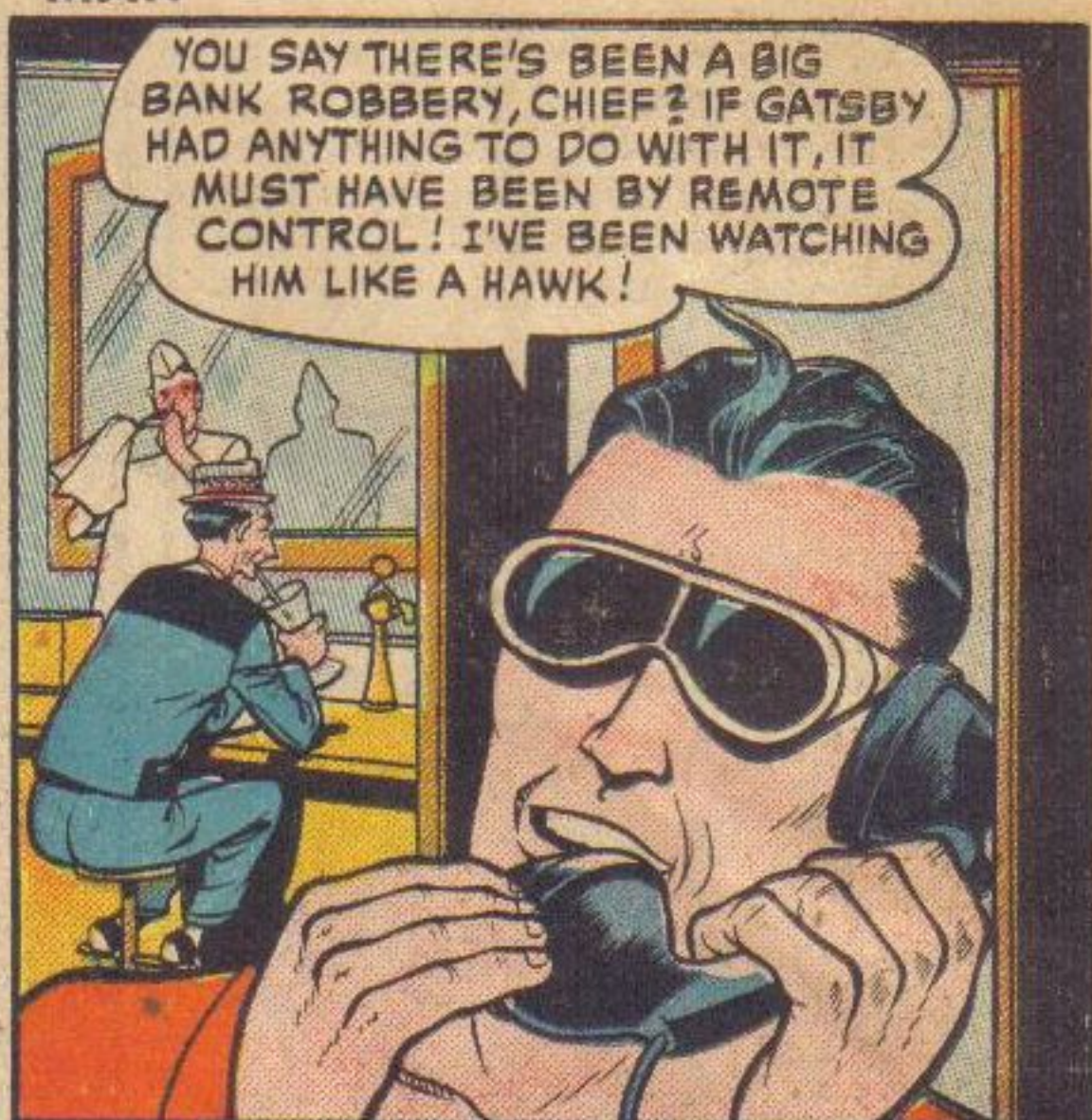
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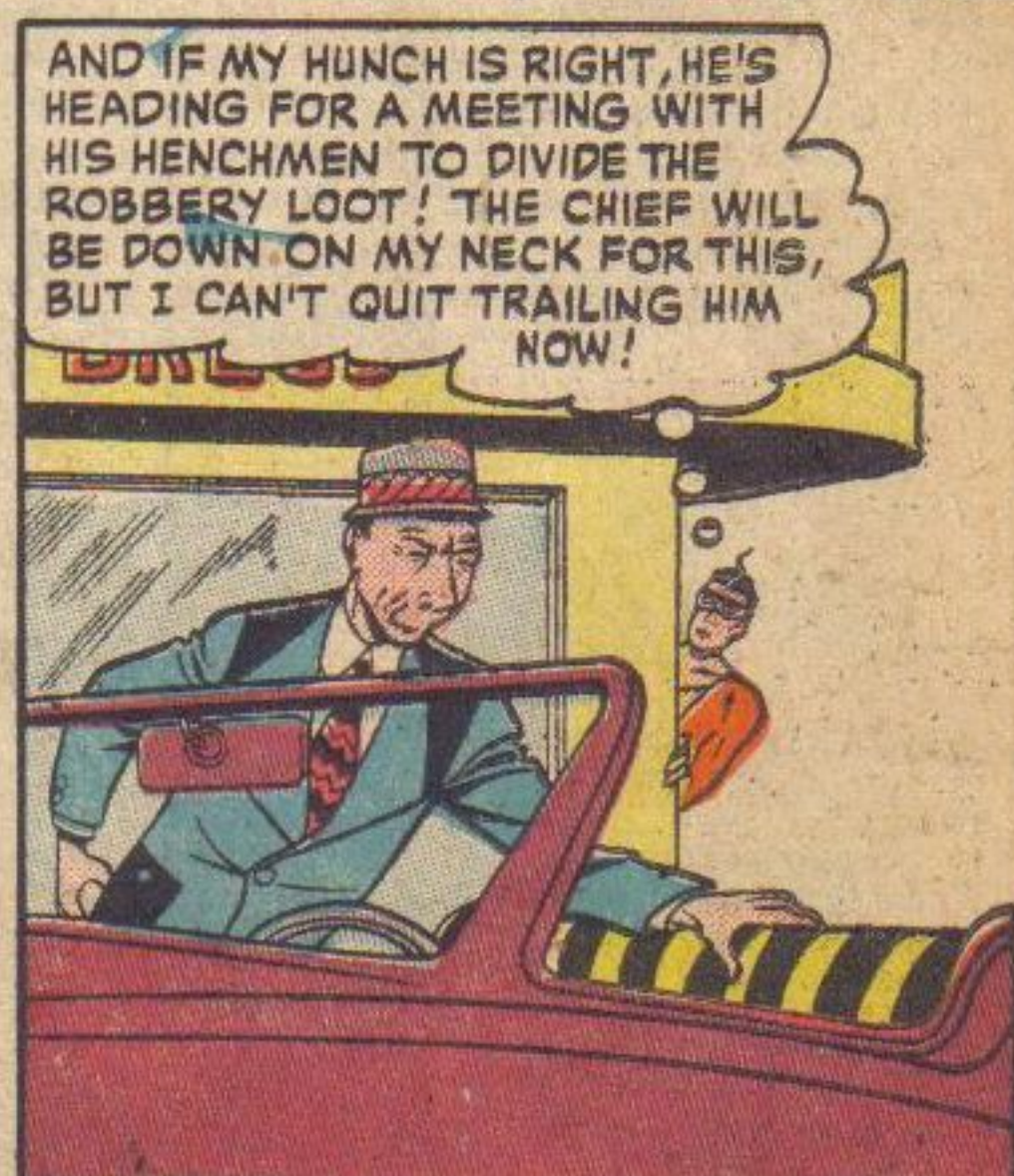
GEE, MAYBE THE BANK WILL GIVE ME A BIG REWARD FOR CAPTURING THESE GUYS!



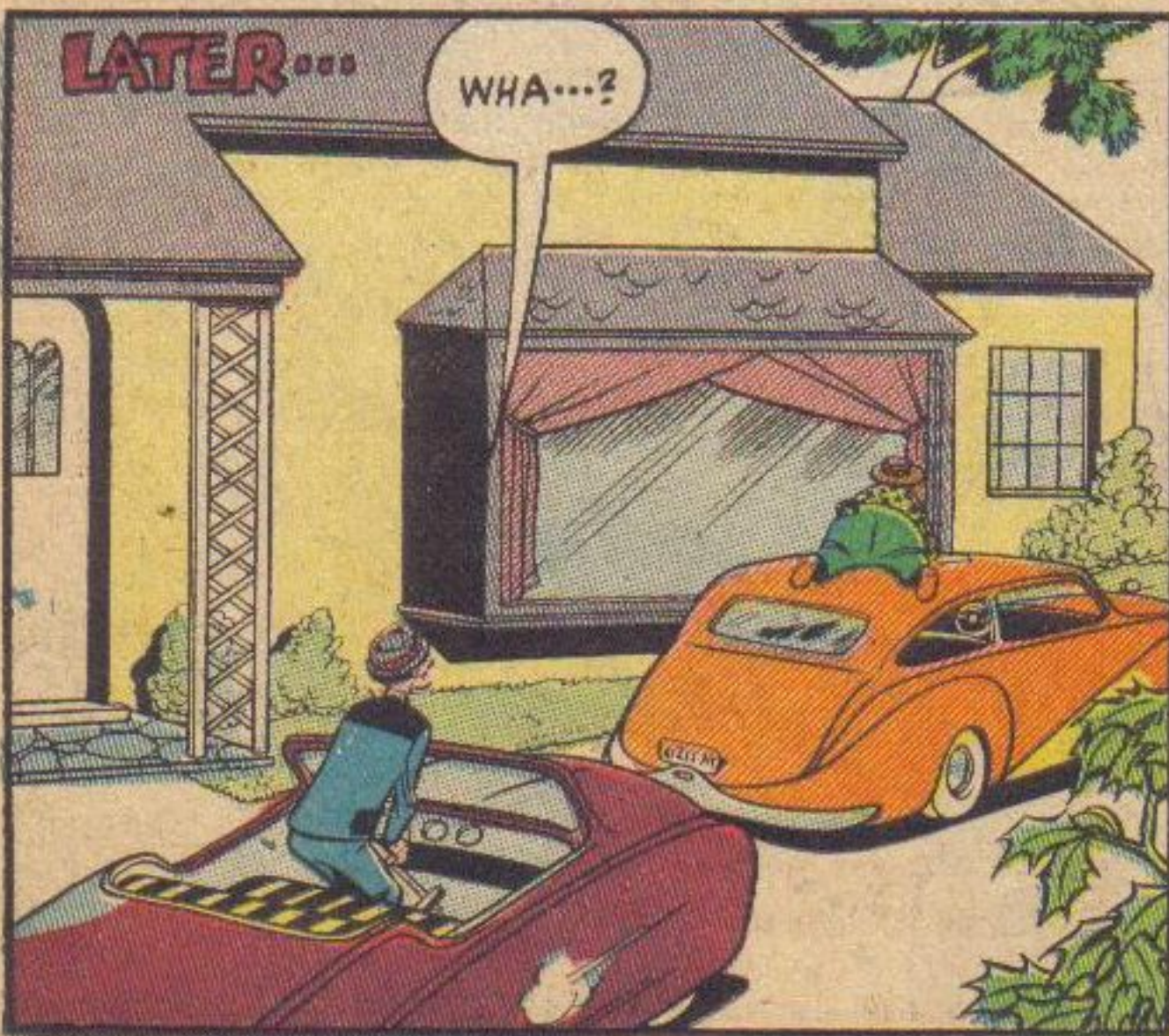
I'LL BE THERE AS FAST AS I CAN MAKE IT!



I HAVE THE FEELING THAT EVEN THOUGH GATSBY'S BEEN PLAYING POSSUM, HE'S CONNECTED WITH THIS ROBBERY SOMEHOW!



AND IF MY HUNCH IS RIGHT, HE'S HEADING FOR A MEETING WITH HIS HENCHMEN TO DIVIDE THE ROBBERY LOOT! THE CHIEF WILL BE DOWN ON MY NECK FOR THIS, BUT I CAN'T QUIT TRAILING HIM NOW!



WHA...?



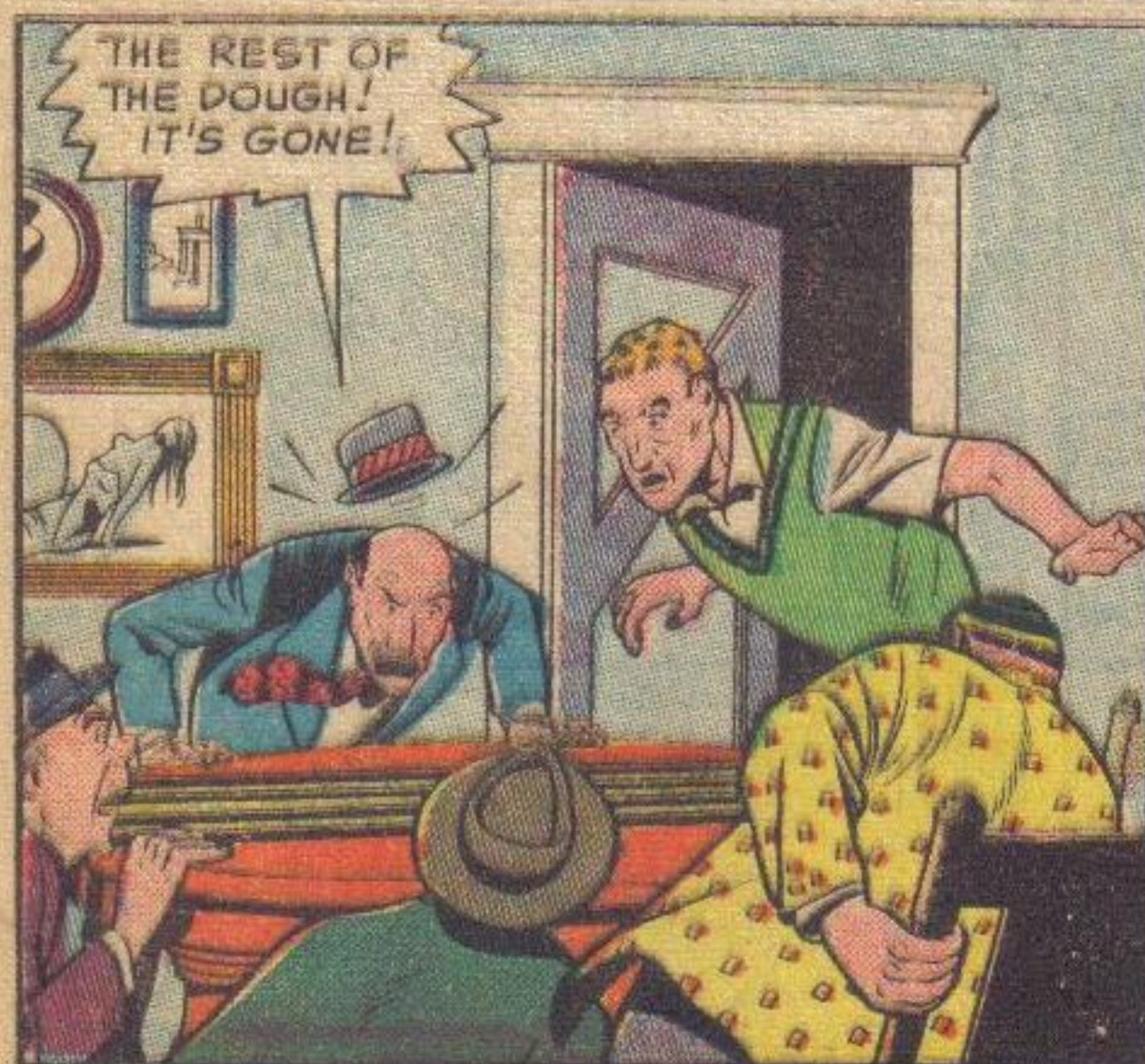
OKAY, COME ON! GET DOWN OFF THERE!

BY ALL MEANS, SIR! YOUR WISH IS MY COMMAND!

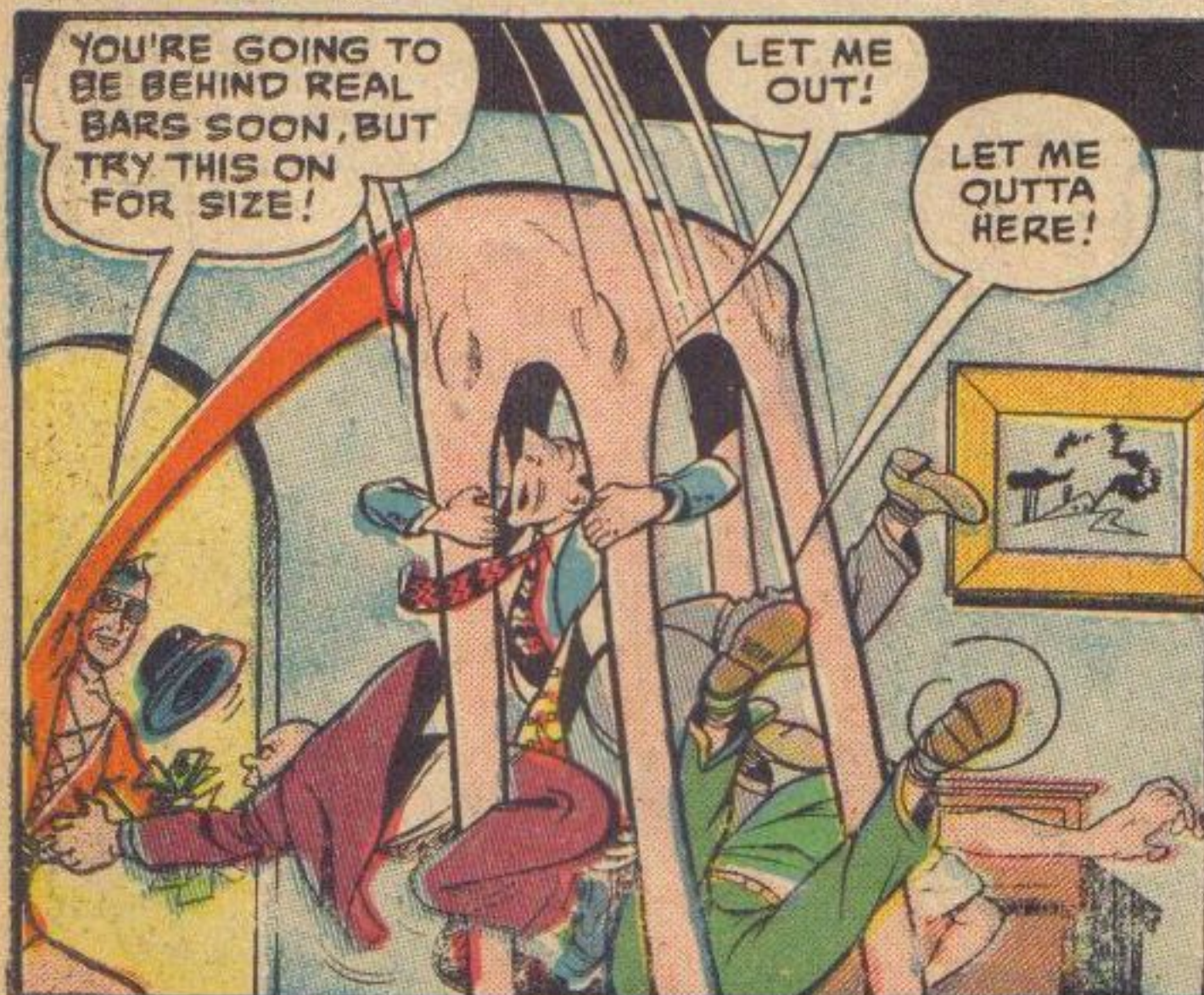
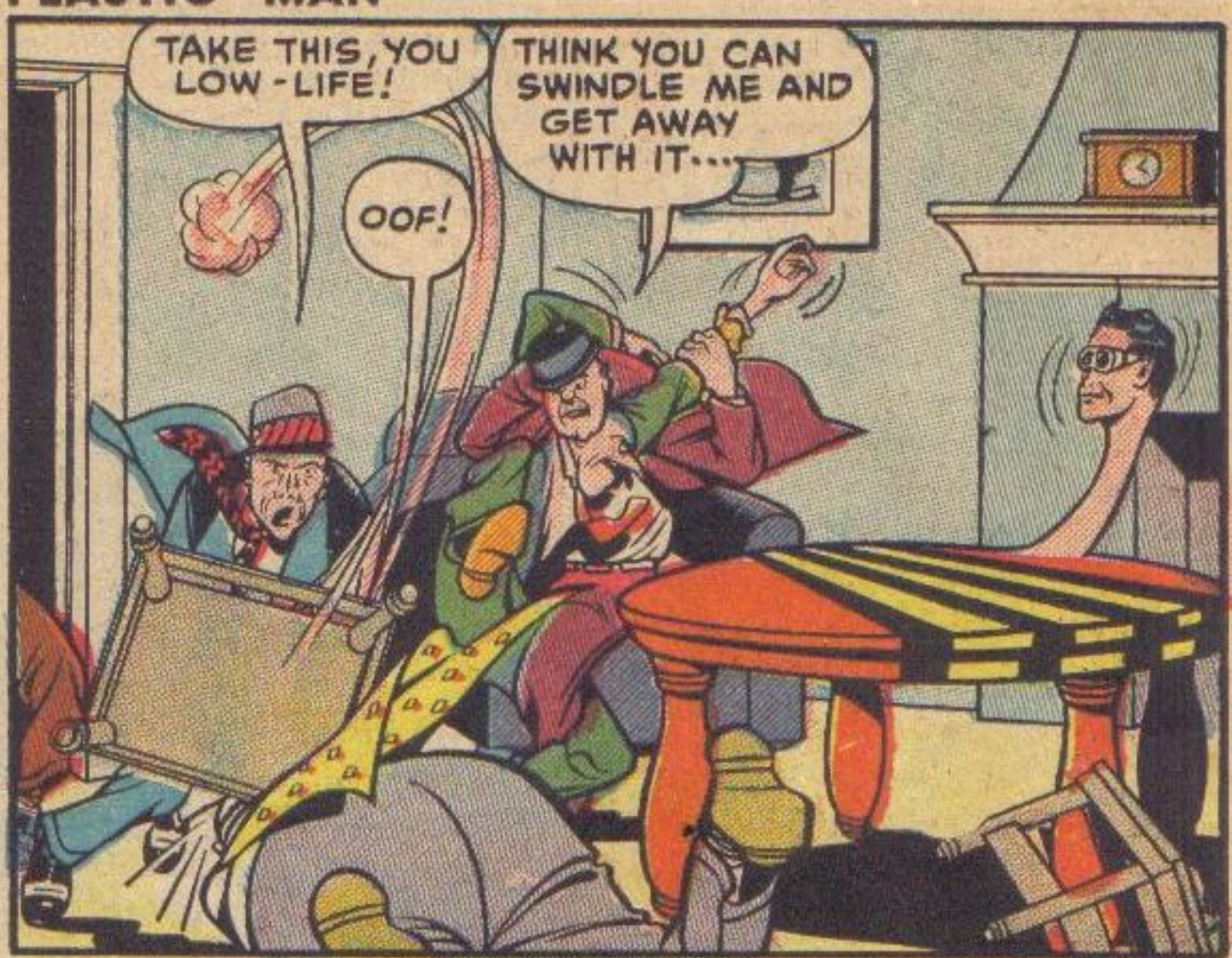
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The Dumb Ones

WITH the siren screaming and the red warning light flashing from side to side, the car of Inspector Cliff Brink of the Arson Squad raced through the traffic. Detective Bob Corby, his driver, kept the gas pedal as near the floor board as he dared. Driving through metropolitan traffic is no cinch at ordinary speeds. But racing through it is enough to age a man before his time.

"Hurry," ordered Brink. "The call came through that it looks like a set fire. The sooner we get there, the more we'll find out."

As the car swung around a corner, they could see the glow in the sky. It was a big fire. The traffic patrolman waved them through the barricades and soon they were skidding to a stop near the massed fire fighting equipment. It was a three story building and the factory of Watts Furriers, a wholesale house. Brink jumped from the car and ran to where the fire chief stood.

"Some blaze," said Brink. "Really think this is an arson case?"

"I'd bet my bottom dollar on it, Brink," shouted the fire chief. "That's why I put in the call for you. This fire started too fast and was going too good when we got here to be anything else. The plant had just shut down so the fire couldn't have started more than a few minutes before. Looks as if we're going to lose the entire building except for the front office section. I think we'll save that. But we can't do much investigating until we get this thing calmed down."

"I see that," commented Brink. Then, turning to his assistant, Corby, he said, "Get in touch with the owner and get him down here."

"I'm ahead of you there," grinned Corby. "I just went across the street and called. He's at home in bed. Been sick for the last three days. He told me to get in touch with his secretary and she'd give us any information we need. I have her address."

"Then get her and bring her here," ordered Brink. "I'll check here as soon as I can."

An hour later, the fire chief, the secretary Miss Anders, the inspector and the detective worked their way through the ruins. A strong smell of burning fur almost overpowered them. The chief pointed to a pile of burned rubble. It had been fur.

"Guess those won't be much good for coats now," he commented.

"Poor Mr. Watts," groaned Miss Anders. "That's sixty thousand dollars worth of mink skins. They came in this afternoon and hadn't even been unpacked. Fortunately, they're insured so Mr. Watts

won't suffer a financial loss. But we need them for our fall orders and——"

"Come here, Chief," said Brink, interrupting Miss Anders. "You were right."

Kneeling before the pile of burned furs, Brink pointed to the charred wood around it. "The fire was set without a doubt," he continued. "The fact that the wood is much more charred at this point and that you can get a faint smell of benzine proves it. These furs were meant to burn."

Then turning to Corby, he added, "Take these ashes to the lab. Get a report on them and meet me at Watts' home as soon as possible. That's all for you, Miss Anders."

When Brink approached Watts' house, he found Corby waiting for him. Brink took the lab report, looked at it, and then knocked on the door. They were admitted by a small, timid looking man. The inspector introduced himself and Corby.

"I'm afraaid," quavered Watts, "that this has been a terrible day. And I'm also afraid that I can't do much to help you. I've been ill here at home for the past three days. And now we've had this terrible fire. And sixty thousand dollars worth of mink furs that we needed have gone up in flames. I'll lose a lot of money."

"You're going to lose more than money, Mr. Watts," snarled Brink. "You're going to lose the right to the pursuit of freedom and happiness for some time."

"Wh-what do you mean?" stammered Watts, now looking frightened.

"You said those furs that burned were mink," explained Brink. "They weren't. They were cheap rabbit furs as I thought when I saw them. Also evidence shows that the fire was set. And I checked on your financial status and I know you're broke. It was a nice scheme if it had worked—sixty grand for a few worthless rabbit skins. But laboratory tests don't lie. So I'm taking you in."

"Don't do that. Please don't do that," cried Watts. "It was all my secretary's idea. She told me to stay home and pretend to be sick and she'd take care of the rest. We were going to split the insurance. It would put me on my feet again."

"Come on," roared Brink in disgust. "You cheap crooks always cry when you're caught. You always figure you can make suckers out of the cops. We're supposed to be dumb."

"But you guys are the dumb ones," he continued as Corby slipped the handcuffs on the wrists of Watts. "If you'd just stop to realize how full the jails are, you'd know that we're not the dumb ones. It's people like you who are—the ones who are on the inside."

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and THE MONSTER OF LLENDWYMORRA

ALL THIS TALK ABOUT A MONSTER OF THE DEEP SWALLOWING UP PEOPLE AND BOATS IS SHEER NONSENSE!

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Y'DON'T SAY?

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PAINT CERTAINLY HAS MANY USES ON A BOAT!

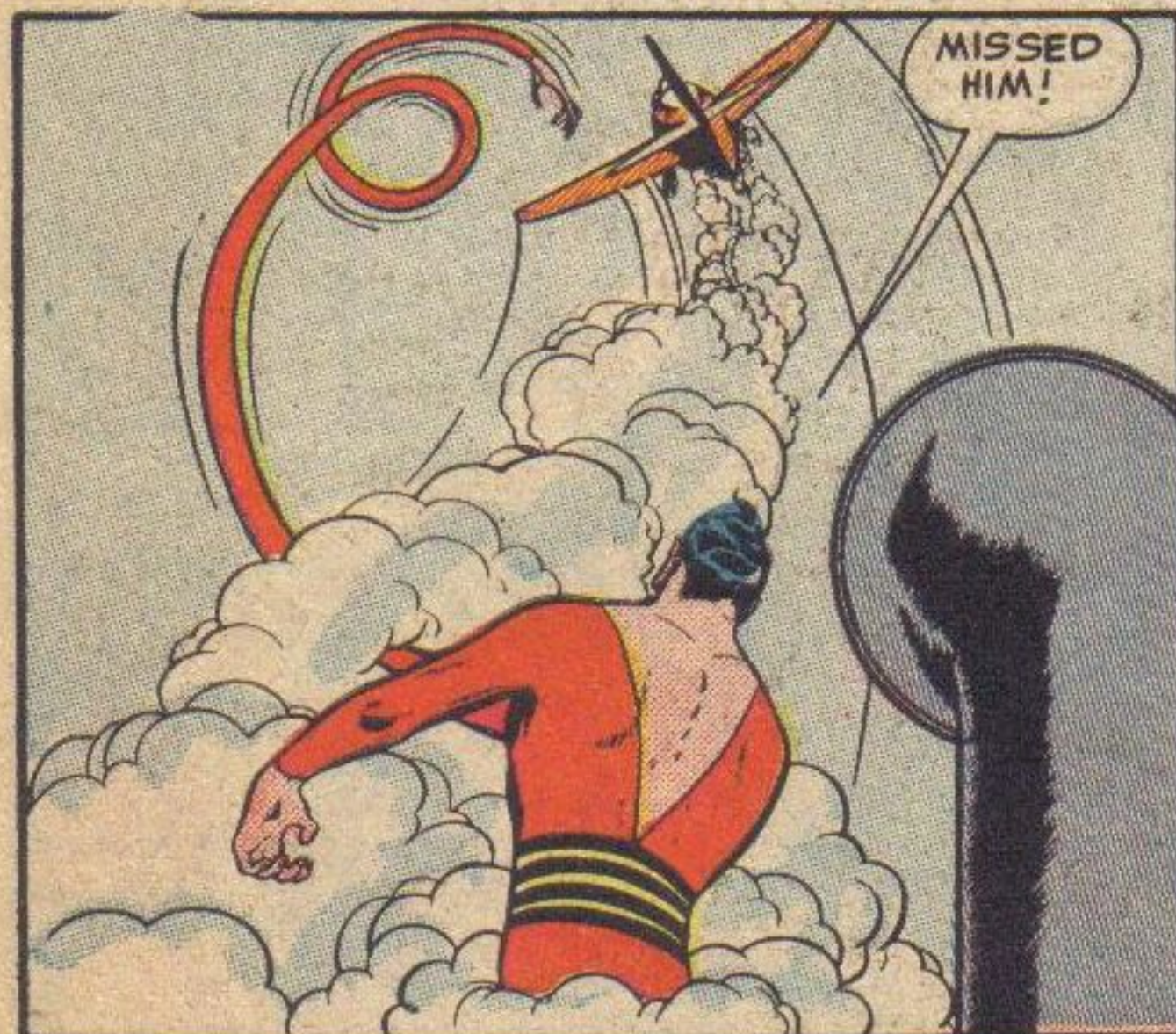


THOUGHT YOU WERE SMART FLYING OVER IN THAT TREASURY DEPARTMENT PLANE AND STRETCHING YOUR WAY DOWN HERE, EH? A FINE THING...THE TREASURY RINGING IN F.B.I. MEN...AND PLASTIC MAN YET!

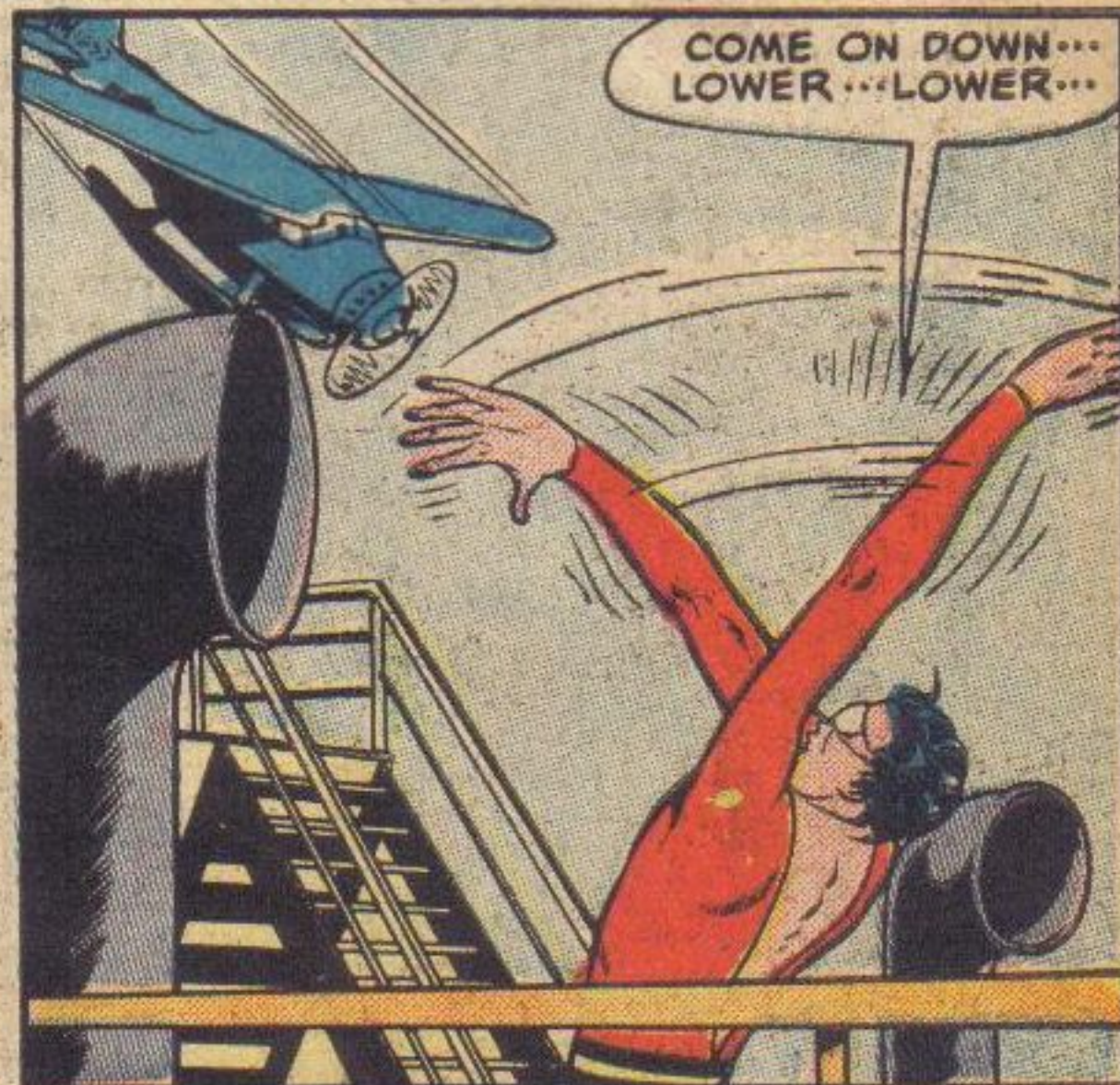


S'MATTER, CAN'T THE TREASURY FIGHT IT'S OWN BATTLES? AND YOU GUYS THINK YOU'RE THE ONLY ONES THAT CAN USE PLANES?

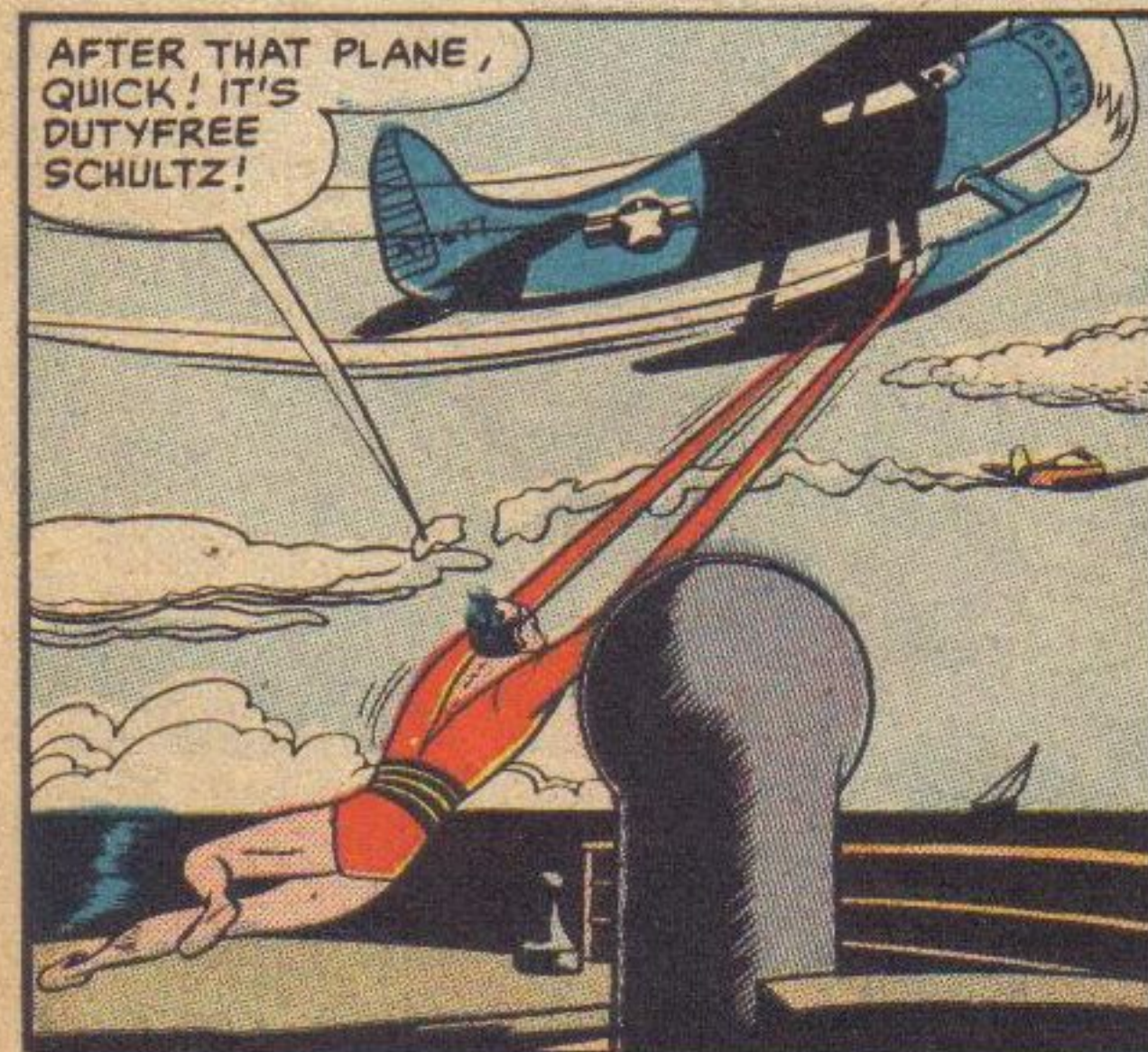
COME HERE YOU!



MISSED HIM!



COME ON DOWN... LOWER... LOWER...



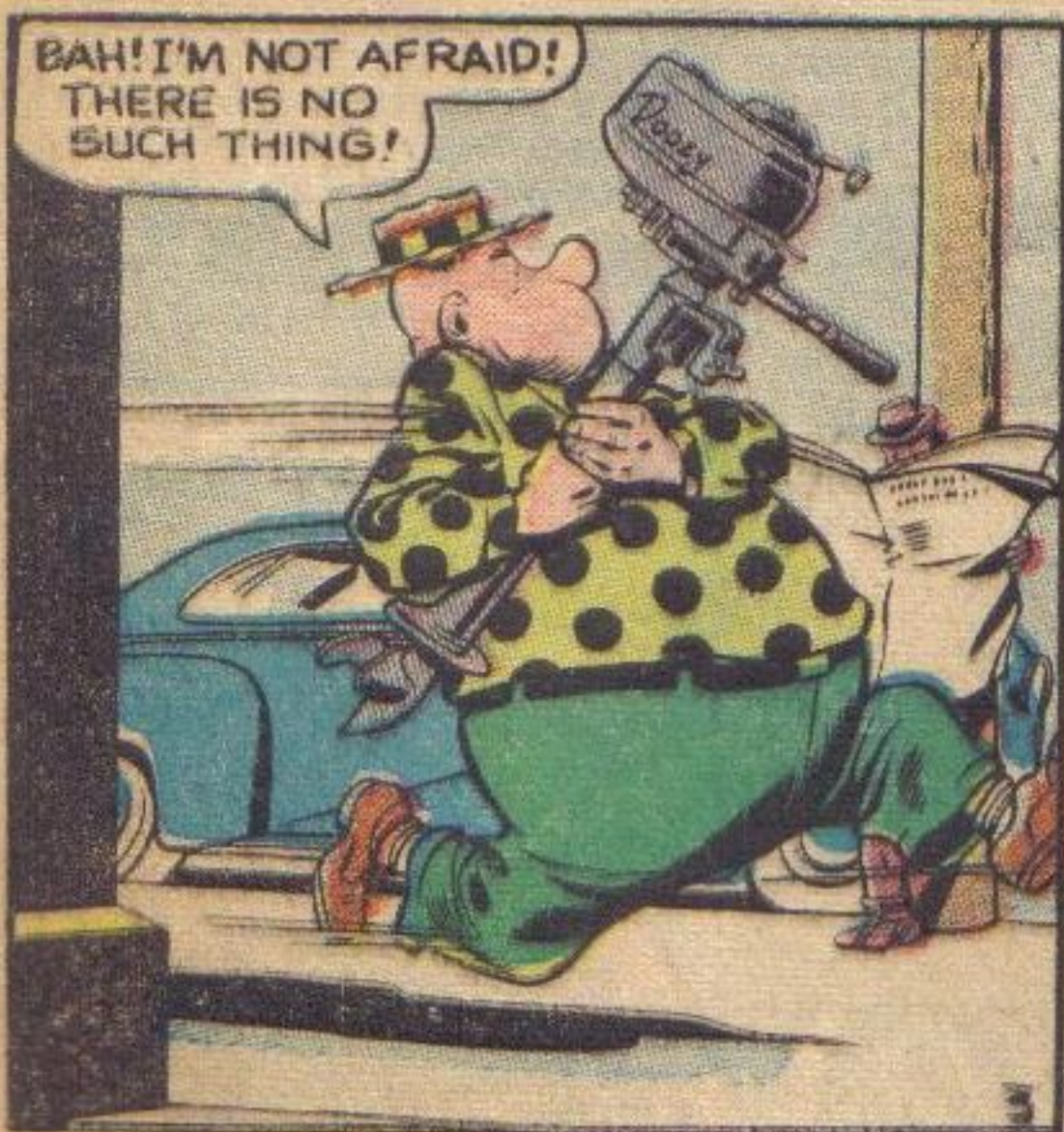
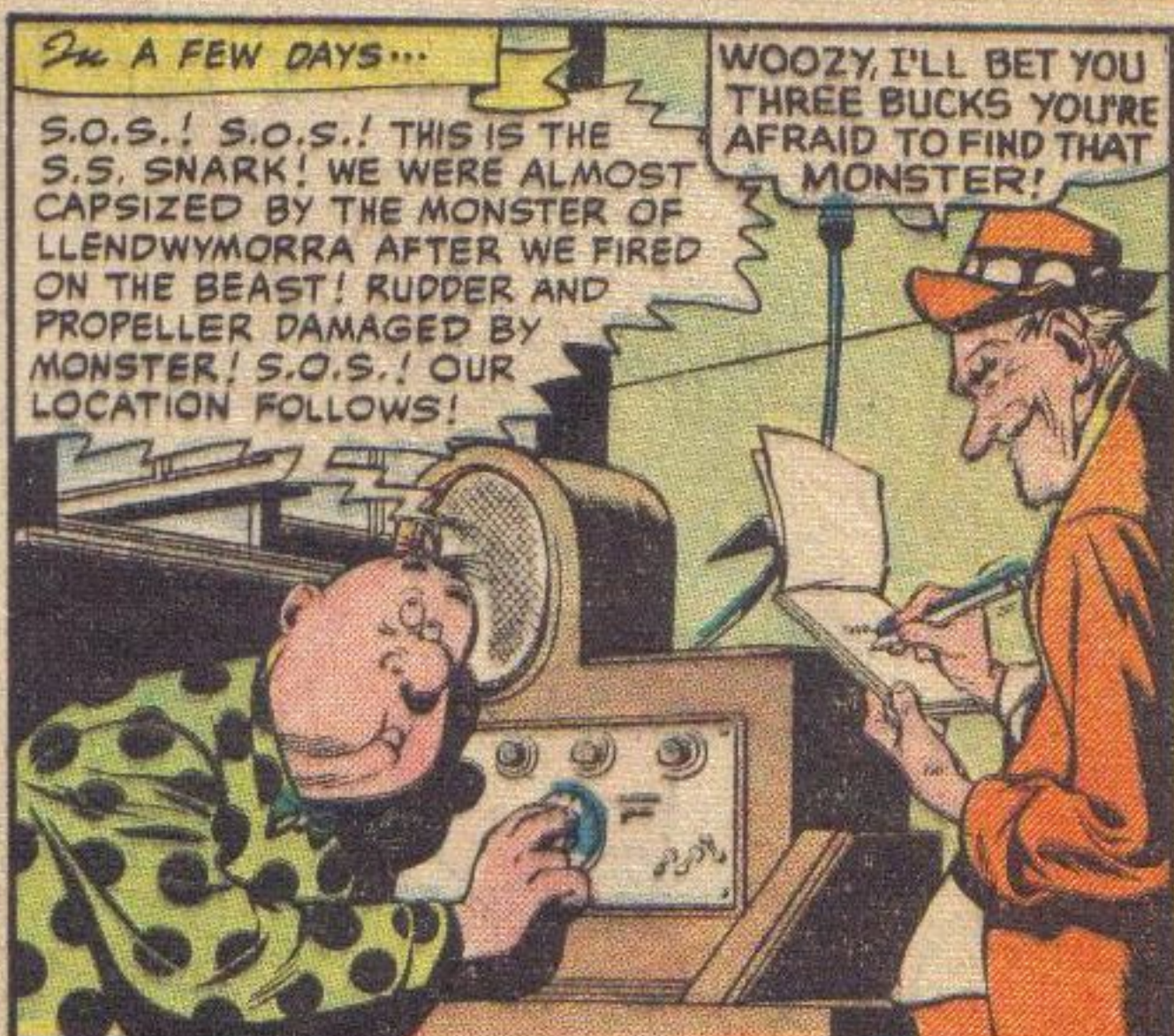
AFTER THAT PLANE, QUICK! IT'S DUTYFREE SCHULTZ!



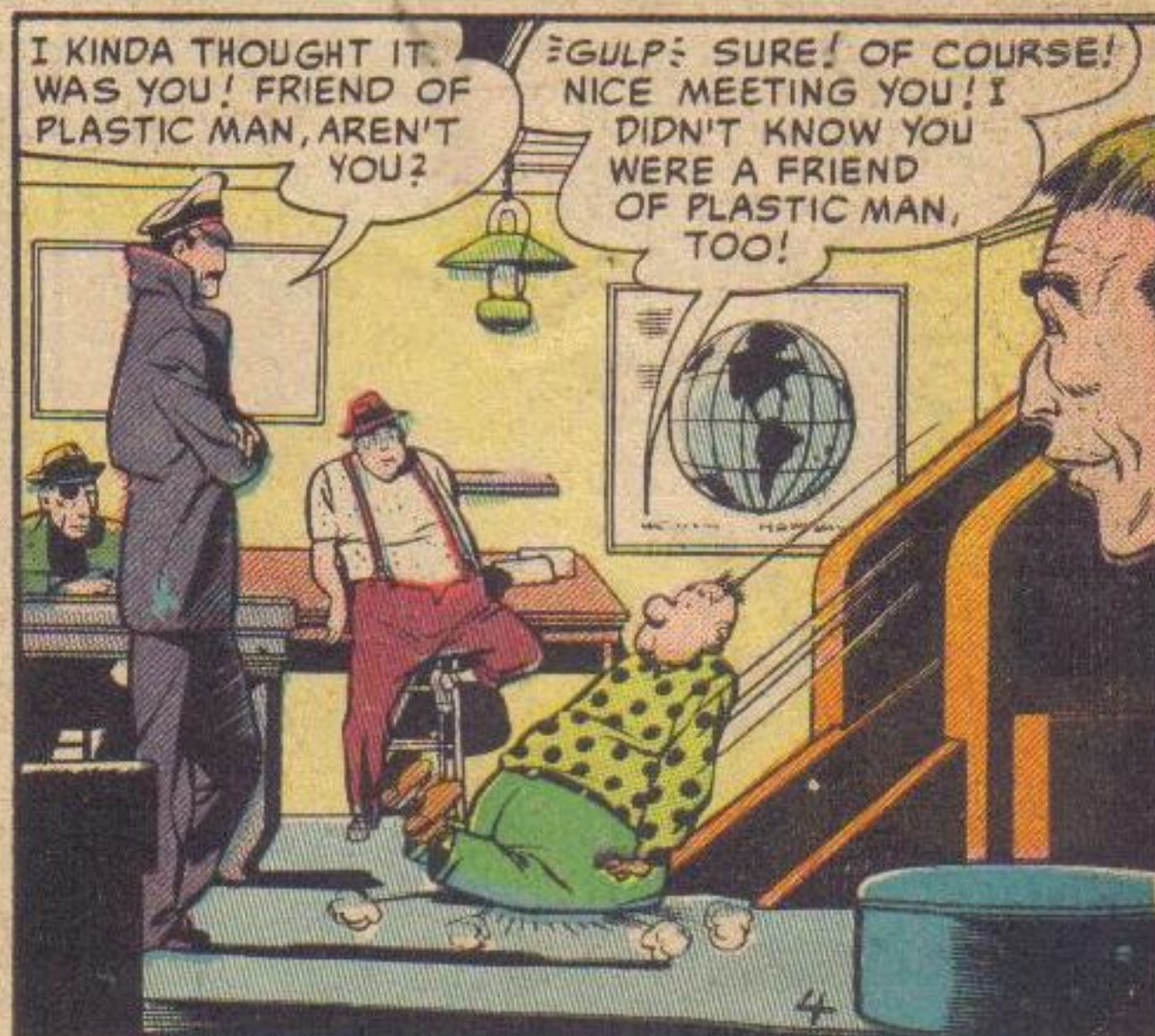
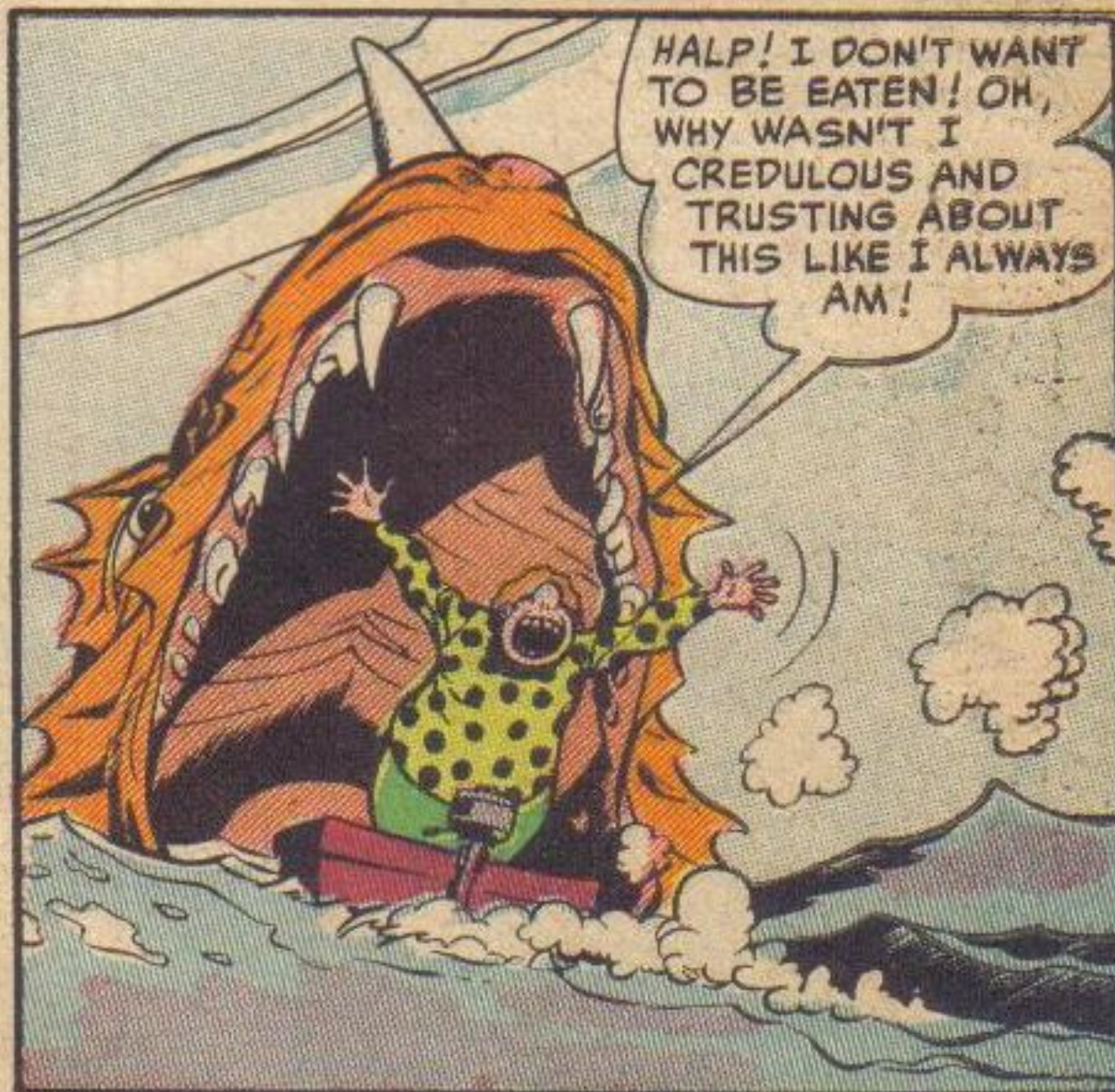
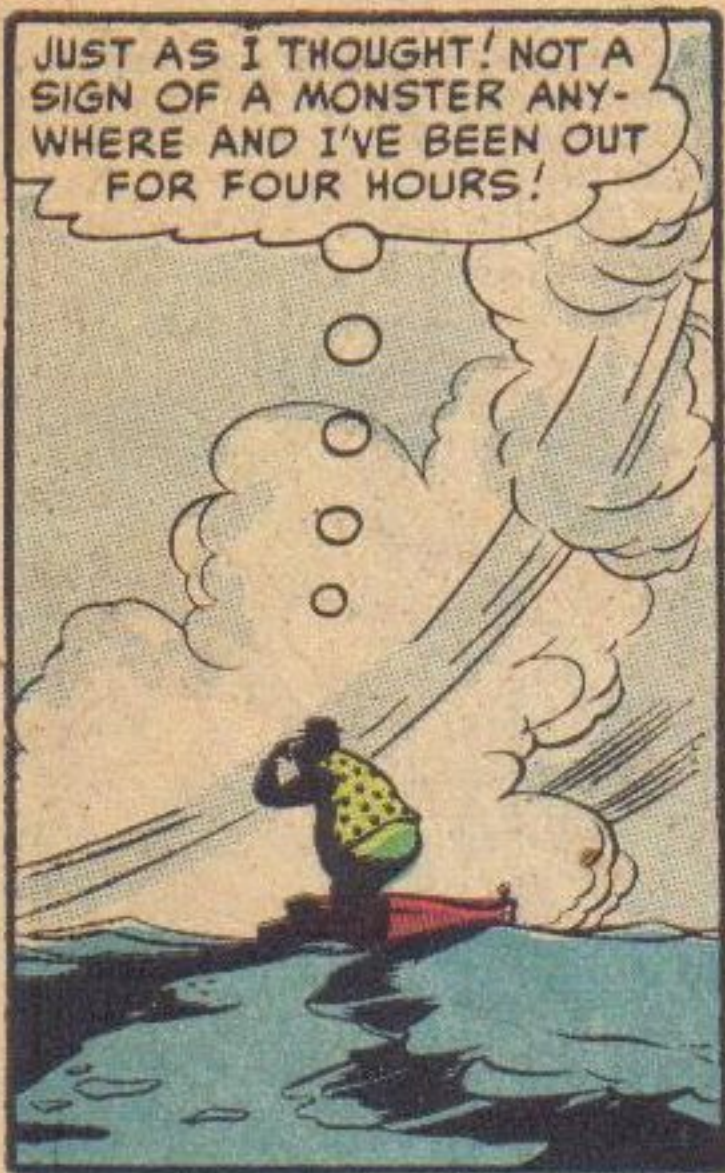
THAT'S A POWERFUL JOB, SCHULTZ HAS THERE! WE CAN'T CATCH UP WITH HIM!

CONFOUND IT! THAT'S DUTY-FREE SCHULTZ'S SECRET... HAVING FAST GADGETS AND EQUIPMENT AT THE RIGHT TIME...AND YOU NEVER KNOW WHAT HE'LL TURN UP WITH NEXT!

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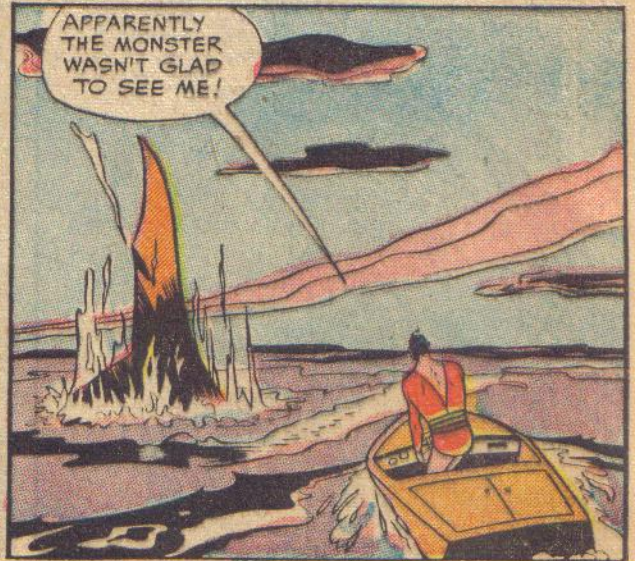
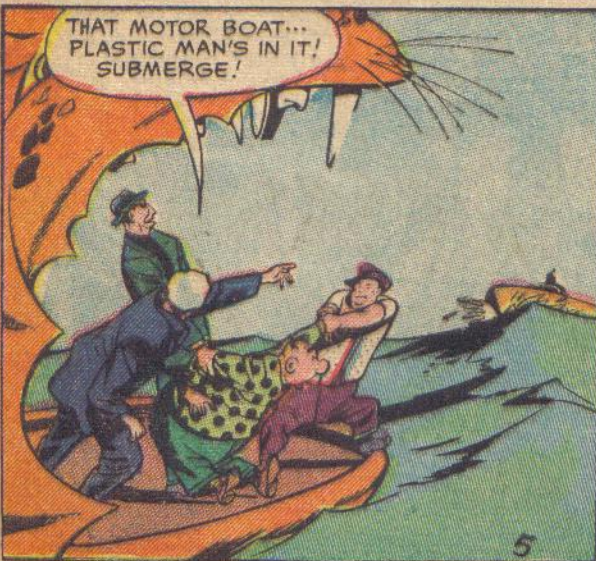
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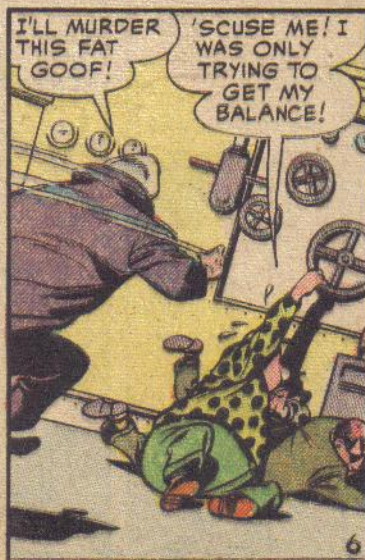
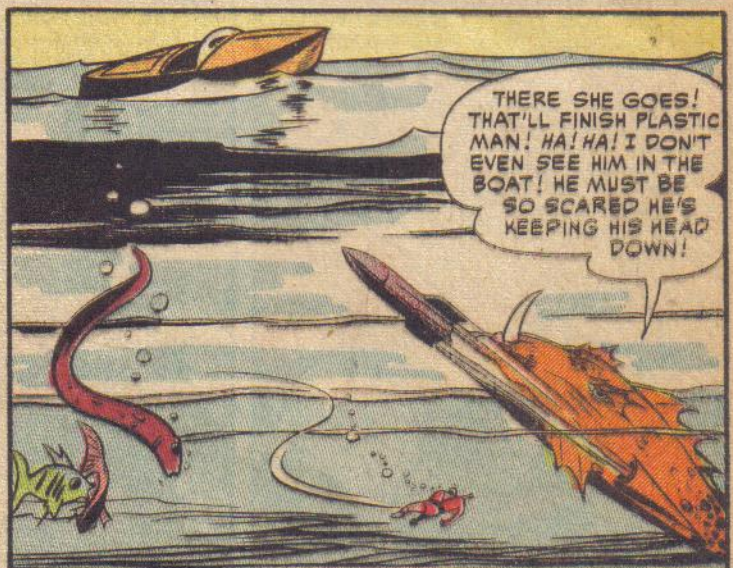
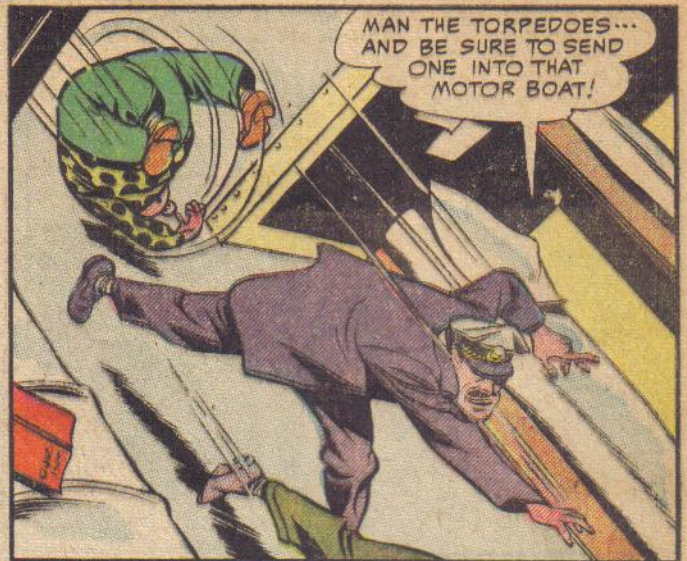
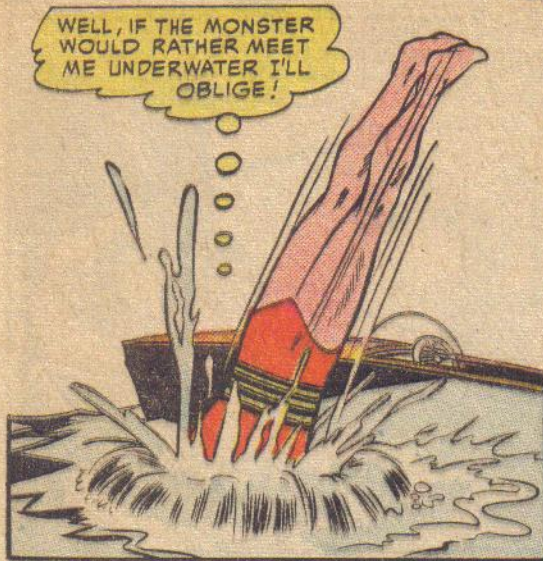
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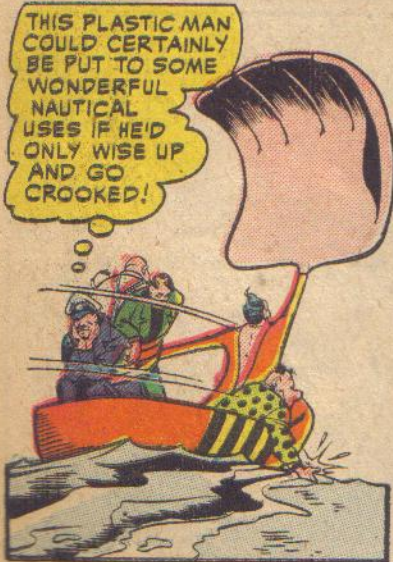
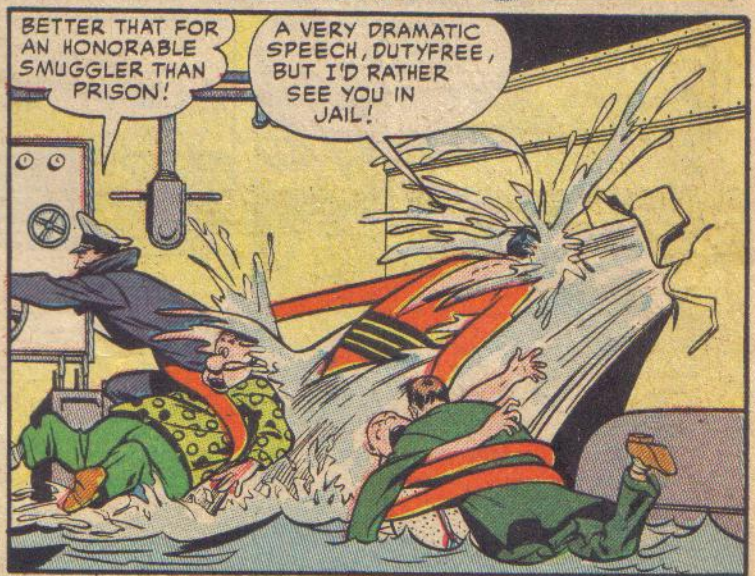
A LIKELY STORY! I SUPPOSE YOU WERE JUST SNOOPING AROUND IN THAT ROW-BOAT TO GET A SUN-TAN! GET HIM, BOYS!



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"Uncle" Harry Bard, the man who has been helping boys and girls earn PRIZES and extra CASH for 36 years.

BE FIRST IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD

Sell my pretty Christmas Packs to your family, friends and neighbors. It's easy. Each pack contains 4 Christmas Cards, 4 envelopes and 32 sparkling Christmas Seals—40 pieces—a big value for 25c. When sold, send me the money and choose your prize from my Big Prize Book. Or, keep \$2.00 in cash for each 24-pack order you sell.

Thousands of smart boys and girls have been earning prizes this way for 36 years. You can, too! Paste coupon on postcard or mail in envelope. **SEND NO MONEY, I TRUST YOU AMERICAN SPECIALTY CO. DEPT. 8, LANCASTER, PENNA.**



MAIL THIS COUPON Today

"Uncle" Harry Bard, AMERICAN SPECIALTY CO. DEPT. 8, LANCASTER, PENNA.

Please send me your BIG PRIZE BOOK and one order of 24 packs of Christmas Cards. I will resell them at 25c a pack, send you the money and choose my prize.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____

JEAN, SEE THIS AD OF THE AMERICAN SPECIALTY CO. IT'S AN EASY WAY TO GET THAT CAMERA I WANT

LET'S SEND THE COUPON TODAY I KNOW LOTS OF PEOPLE WHO WANT CHRISTMAS CARDS.

YES, BOBBY, YOUR CHRISTMAS CARDS ARE BEAUTIFUL. THEY'RE A BARGAIN. I'LL TAKE SIX PACKS.

IT WAS FUN AND EASY TO SELL OUR CARDS AND HERE'S THE MAILMAN WITH OUR PRIZES.

THIS IS A NEAT CAMERA WHY DON'T YOU FELLOWS SEND THE COUPON TO-DAY- YOU CAN CHOOSE FROM A LOT OF SWELL PRIZES!

I'll Give You a Wrist Watch, Archery Set, Flash Camera or any of 70 BIG PRIZES

Without a cent of cost... Mail Coupon for FREE Prize Book



PROFESSIONAL Archery Set
A great outfit that contains powerful, 54-inch Bow, 4 feathered Arrows, Target face and complete instructions.

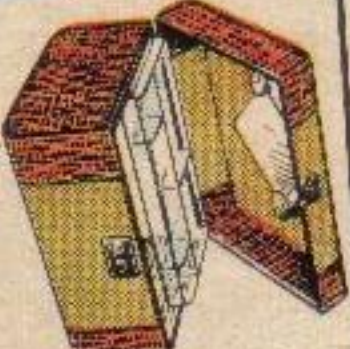
COWBOY JR. GUITAR



Ideal instrument for beginners. Complete instructions with song book. Has nylon strings.



ACRO FLASH CAMERA
with film. This swell outfit includes Camera, Flash Gun and free Film. Has Graf lens. Takes pictures in black and white or color. Makes beautiful enlargements.



PRETTY TRAVEL CASE

Overnight Case with removable tray. Has mirror, lock and key.



GRALETT WRIST WATCH
for Boys and Girls. A Guaranteed watch. Handsome Chromium case, unbreakable crystal, genuine leather strap. This attractive wrist watch is given without cost.



Touchdown! FOOTBALL
Tough, sturdy, official size and weight football. Choice of brown or white.

CHEM-CRAFT CHEMISTRY SET



Perform feats of chemical magic with this new Chemcraft Chemistry Set. Magic Book, instructions included.



KNIFE-TOOL OUTFIT
Deluxe knife-tool combination in pocket size carrying case. Tools lock into knife for instant use.

BOOMERANGS

A pair of rugged, Australian-style boomerangs. Throw them out! watch them come back to you! Great fun. Instructions included.



DAISY'S DELUXE TRAINING RIFLE
Daisy's "Big Bang"—loudest play gun. Shoots smoke and noise only. Harmless. Styled like Daisy's famous Air Rifles.

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